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For Almanac—September 2.

Sun Rises	5.32 A M
Sun Sets	6.27 P M
Day's Length	12 h 55 m
High Water at Southport	2.11 A M
High Water at Wilmington	3.54 A M

The Weather.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., Sept. 2.

Meteorological data for yesterday: Temperature: 8 a. m., 75°, 8 p. m., 75°; maximum, 86°; minimum, 81°; mean, 78°. Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall for the month up to date, 0 00.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN.

Light showers have fallen over Southern Texas and Alabama, elsewhere fair weather and stationary temperature has prevailed over the cotton belt.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

For North Carolina: Generally fair; easterly winds.

OUTLINES.

Mr. Bryan will address union workingmen in Chicago on Labor Day, September 7th. —— The Seaboard Air Line has reduced passenger rates between Norfolk and Atlanta to $8.00. —— A gang of pickpockets follow up Mr. Bryan and reap a rich harvest from the crowds assembled to greet the nominee. —— The gold reserve, at the close of business yesterday, stood at $103,779,578. —— Fire at Winston, N. C., caused $50,000 damage. —— The electoral ticket in Indiana will be divided between the Democrats and Populists. —— The resolution introduced in the Supreme Lodge Knights of Pythias debarring suicides from death benefits met with strong opposition and was settled by a compromise. —— Delegates to the gold bug convention in Indianapolis are arriving slowly; there is talk of nominating Mr. Cleveland, but it is asserted positively that he would not accept the nomination under any circumstances. —— The average yield of lint cotton in Texas is put at only ninety pounds per acre. —— Vermont goes Republican by an increased majority. —— The Treasury official statement shows a deficit of $38,139,580 for the fiscal year to date. —— Congressional conventions were held in Alabama yesterday; nominations were made in the Second, Third, Sixth and Ninth Districts; the First District is deadlocked, there being two sound money and two free silver candidates. —— Two hundred persons were killed in the recent rioting at Constantinople and over one thousand were massacred in the Psamatra district. —— The Foreign Missionary Boards presented Li Hung Chang with an address expressing their appreciation of the favor which the Chinese Government has shown towards the missionaries. —— Fifty thousand people assembled to hear Mr. Bryan at Columbus, Ohio, it being the largest political meeting ever held there. —— New York markets: Money on call was easier at 3@8 per cent., last loan at 8 and closing offered at 3 per cent.; cotton steady; middling gulf 8 7-16c; middling uplands 8 3-16c; Southern flour quiet, unchanged; common to fair extra $2 00@2 60; good to choice $2 60@2 90; wheat—spot dull and weaker; No. 2 red, May 69¼c; corn—spot active weaker; No. 2 25¾c at elevator and 26¾c afloat; spirits turpentine quiet and steady at 24@24½c; rosin steady; strained common to good $1.57½@1.60.

Candidate Bryan uttered a rock-bottom truth when he said it is safer to trust the whole of the people than a part of the people.

A young Kentucky lawyer got his client out of jail, but got himself in. He furnished his client with implements to cut his way out.

The working men of this country never discovered until this campaign what a brotherly interest the soft-handed sons of toil take in them.

Water hyacinths are becoming so numerous in the upper St. Johns river and tributaries in Florida, that they are becoming a menace to navigation.

Li Hung Chang takes notes as he travels. They do say that when at home he takes almost anything within reach, that is worth taking. He is a taking sort of an old fellow.

The farmers along the Kishwaukee creek, in Sycamore county, Ill., are giving the farm a rest and have gone grabbing for pearls. A good many have been found averaging in value from $25 to $200.

Mr. Eckles is among the advance guards at Indianapolis. This is thoughtful on the part of Mr. Eckles. That thing would have a very tame sendoff without his powerful presence and inspiration.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.

Attention is called to the following REDUCED RATES of Subscription to THE MORNING STAR:

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TO CITY SUBSCRIBERS.

The STAR will be delivered by carrier at any point in the city at 12 cents per week, or 45 cents per month.

The citizen who expects to see the Republican party if successful trying to bring about international agreement for the free coinage of silver will soon be going around with a net looking for white blackbirds. The Republican party is run by gold men and in the interest of gold men. They have a mortgage on it too big to be lifted.

The New York *Commercial Advertiser* congratulates Hon. Chauncey M. Depew on having the discriminating judgment to appropriate a part of one of its editorials to lead off in his speech introducing ex-President Harrison at Carnegie Hall. It was the best part of the speech, too, which was a rather flat one for Chauncey.

When Mr. Bryan talks to the people and shows the benefit they will derive from the free coinage of silver the gold organs call that "demagogism," but when the spokesmen of the gold standard orate to perpetuate that disastrous system, that is "patriotism." Perhaps pay-triotism would be the proper way to spell it.

The Holt family seems to have a hold on West Virginia. There are three John H. Holts running for office this year, and they are all related, and they take in a trio of parties. One is a Democrat, another a Republican and another a Prohibitionist.

Some of the gold so-called Democratic papers in the North are very much distressed because Mr. Depew and Mr. Harrison indulged in remarks in their Carnegie Hall speeches calculated to repel "sound money" Democrats.

It is said there is only one chance in a million of a person being struck by lightning. John Sherman has been trying the Presidential lightning for many years and has never had it come within forty acres of him.

Among the men of mark to-day is Mark Hanna. He makes his this way $.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

STR. WILMINGTON—Schedule.
FOR RENT—Cottage at Ocean View.

NEW BUSINESS LOCALS.

REWARD—For diamond stud.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Pertinent Paragraphs Pertaining Primarily to People and Pointedly Printed.

— Mrs. Kate B. Hand, of Burgaw, is in the city.

— Mr. N. N. Davis has returned from Hickory.

— Mr. J. B. Brinkley, of Freeman, was in the city yesterday.

— Capt. V. V. Richardson, of Whiteville, is in the city.

— Mr. E. Pender Porter, of Rocky Point, arrived in the city yesterday.

— Mrs. W. M. Hand, wife of the postmaster at Burgaw, is in the city.

— Miss Maud L. Alford, of Southport, is visiting friends in Wilmington.

— Mr. B. F. Jones, who has been visiting relatives in Vermont, has returned.

— Miss Emmie Whitsell, of Charleston, is in the city, visiting the Misses Corbett.

— Mrs. R. G. Brady and Bruce Williams, of Burgaw, were in the city yesterday.

— Capt. E. E. Groom and Capt. W. H. Gannon, of Charleston, S. C., are in the city.

— Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Newton, of Louthport, are visiting the family of Mr. S. L. Dosher.

— Mr. M. H. Curran returned last night from a pleasant visit to Saratoga and other points of interest North.

— Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Raiford, of Fayetteville, arrived here yesterday to spend a week at our seaside resorts.

— Mr. Lloyd Merriman, formerly of this city but now of Norfolk, Va., is in the city, shaking hands with old friends.

— Messrs. Geo. McP. Batts, Charlotte; J. P. Rucker, Florence; I. B. Fonville, Goldsboro, were among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

— There was quite a bevy of young ladies at The Orton yesterday. Misses Sarah Burkehead, Annie Maultsby, May McRacken and Mary Richardson, of Whiteville, on their way to Greensboro College. Misses Etta and Bessie Richardson, on their way to Salem College, and Miss Maggie Williams, of Burgaw, on her way to the Woman's College, Richmond, Va.

LOCAL DOTS.

Items of Interest Gathered Here and There and Briefly Noted.

— Cotton receipts yesterday were 879 bales.

— The Norwegian barque *Ore* was reported at Southport yesterday afternoon.

— The stage of water in the Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, at last reports was 1.9 inches.

— The special S. A. L. train for the mountains will leave here at 5.40 a. m. instead of 6 a. m. on September 8d.

— The STAR hung out this cautionary signal in its issue of Sunday: "Be careful how you 'monkey' with the short side of cotton." Notice the advance yesterday.

— The Democratic primaries will be held on the 15th inst. Who wants to be Sheriff? Who wants to go to the Legislature? Who wants any county office? Answer quick.

— The special term of the Criminal Court ordered by Judge Meares will convene Monday, the 21st inst. The Superior Court will convene the following Monday, the 28th inst.

— Ex-Governor Jarvis will address the people on the political issues of the day at the Opera House in this city, Thursday, September 8d, at 8.80 p. m. Ladies are invited to attend.

— The C. F. & Y. V. R. R. will sell round trip tickets to Greenville, N. C., on account of meeting Grand Chapter Order of Eastern Star September 8th. Rate from Greensboro, $10.90; Maxton, $8.90; Sanford, $9.60.

— The official call for the Democratic primaries of New Hanover county will be found in the STAR to-day. It gives all necessary information in regard to the matter, having been prepared in accordance with the present plan of organization.

— To morrow night, at the Opera House, the first rally of the Democrats of New Hanover will be held. Doors open at 7.30. Introductory musical programme by the Wilmington Symphony Club at 8 o'clock. Governor Jarvis will speak at 8.30.

— Chairman Green has arranged with General Manager R. O. Grant to have a train leave the city the night of the 3d at 11 o'clock, so as to give all the Sound and Beach people an opportunity to hear the Hon. Thos. J. Jarvis, who speaks in the Opera House on that night. Speaking begins at 8.30 o'clock. Let everybody turn out and hear Jarvis, one of the best posted men on finance in North Carolina.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington & Weldon R. R.—119 bales cotton, 23 casks spirits turpentine, 13 bbls tar, 10 bbls crude turpentine.

Wilmington, Columbia & Augusta R. R.—278 bales cotton, 20 casks spirits turpentine, 53 bbls rosin, 16 bbls tar, 14 bbls crude turpentine.

Schooner Gold Leaf—21 casks spirits turpentine, 25 bbls rosin, 42 bbls tar.

Schooner Mary Wheeler—3 bales cotton, 16 casks spirits turpentine, 56 bbls rosin, 40 bbls tar.

McKay's flat—9 casks spirits turpentine, 45 bbls rosin.

Total receipts—Cotton, 399 bales; spirits turpentine, 88 casks; rosin, 179 bbls; tar, 111 bbls; crude turpentine, 24 bbls.

The Outlook for Foot Ball.

Active work in foot ball circles will soon commence. The boys of the Wilmington team are looking forward to the coming season with anticipation of additional laurels being added to their wreath. There are a great many candidates for every position on the team and the men will be very carefully selected. Prominent among the players is John A. Moore, the great half-back of last year's U. N. C.'s team, who is expected to be with the boys shortly. Last year's players on the team will again be seen on the grid-iron, and it can be positively stated that Wilmington will put the best team in the field this year that she has ever had.

The Opera House Meeting To-morrow Night.

Everything is in readiness for the speaking to-morrow night. The Symphony Club, which will play at the Opera House, had a satisfactory rehearsal late last evening. The string band which will lead the procession from the Orton to the Opera House, called at the STAR office and played several selections. There is no doubt that a crowded house will greet Mr. Jarvis. At least two hundred men will be in line under the auspices of "The Class," a Bryan and Sewall organization.

Hurricane Signal.

The Weather Bureau has adopted a new signal for the purpose of giving warning of the approach of tropical hurricanes, consisting of two red flags with black centres, displayed one above the other. No distinctive night signal will be used. Arrangements have been made for the display of these signals on the Frying-pan Shoals lightship, warning to be conveyed thither by a tug from Southport.

Phœnix Hose Reel Co.

At the annual election of Phœnix Hose Reel Co. No. 1 (colored) last night, the following officers were elected: President, J. H. Webber; vice president, Daniel S. Blunt; secretary and treasurer, W. H. Harriss; recording secretary, Geo. Williams; foreman, W. T. Brown; first assistant, C. H. Gause; second assistant, Henry Bell.

— Miss Alice Green, who has spending the Summer in Chapel Hill with her uncle, Dr. Edwin A. Alderman returned home last night.

Funeral of the Late Dr. Jno. D. Bellamy.

The funeral services over the remains of the late Dr. Jno. D. Bellamy took place yesterday morning at 10 o'clock at the residence, corner of Market and Fifth streets. A large number of friends of the family were present. The services were conducted by Rev. P. H. Hoge, D. D., pastor of the First Presbyterian church. The choir which furnished music for the sad occasion consisted of Prof. and Mrs. Russell, Miss Etta Hart, Mrs W. H. Chadbourn, Mr. C. H. Robinson and Mr. H. K. Holden. There were many beautiful floral offerings. The pall-bearers were (honorary) Col. Jno. L. Cantwell, Col. Thos. C. McIlhenny, Mr. G. W. Williams and Mr. B. G. Worth; (active) Dr. W. J. Love, Messrs. W. H. Green, J. G. Swann, C. H. Robinson, D. L. Gore, P. Cumming, Walker Meares and H. P. West. The interment was at Oakdale Cemetery.

Ran Off the Track.

A trolley car on the street railway ran off the track at the intersection of Front and Princess streets last night, and caused considerable commotion by the noise made as it rattled over the rough stone-roadway on Princess below Front.

There was only one passenger on the car—Mr. Richard Litgen—who jumped off as soon as the car left the track. Motorman J. B. King and Conductor L. D. Bishop were in charge of the car. The motorman said that he applied brakes as the car was passing the Savings Bank on Princess street, but the brake chain broke, and as the car was going down hill it could not be stopped until the conductor put on brakes from the rear of the car. No damage was done. A force of hands was immediately put to work getting the car again on the track.

ROCKY POINT ITEMS.

[*Star Correspondence.*]

ROCKY POINT, N. C., Sept. 1.—Misses Lillie Walker and Henrie Shepard, who have been visiting relatives here, returned home last week. Miss Lena Sparkman also, Miss Fannie Westbrook, one of Rocky Point's lovely young maidens, left this morning for Greensboro, where she will enter the G. F. C.

Misses Bessie and Ethel Hull, of Monroe, N. C., are visiting friends here. Miss Louise Knight, of Petersburg, Va., and a grand daughter of Capt. Knight, of the A. C. L., of Wilmington, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. D. H. Armstrong, of this place. She leaves for Wilmington this evening.

Miss Wardie Laughlin, a charming young lady of Wilmington, is visiting Miss Ada Bowden, near here.

We are having lots of sickness around here. Mr. W. W. Miller and Mr. S. F. Ives are confined to their rooms. Mr. Ives was reported as being worse yesterday. Mr. J. S. Casteen has just recovered from an attack of fever and is able to be out again.

Crops are looking fine in these parts. Dr. E. Porter and other truckers are having their berries thoroughly cleaned from grass and they are looking fine indeed.

Mr. E. Pender Porter, son of Dr. E. Porter, who has been attending Davidson College this Summer, is expected home this evening, to the delight of his many friends.

We are having a series of meetings now in the Presbyterian church here, conducted by Rev. Stedman Black, of St. Paul, Robeson county. E. T. P.

DOCKERY DENOUNCED.

The Republican Club of Hendersonville, His Former Most Loyal Supporters, Call Him a Traitor.

[*Special to the Charlotte Observer.*]

HENDERSONVILLE, August 31.—The Republican Club, two hundred strong, at this place, passed resolutions to-night denouncing Oliver H. Dockery in unmeasured terms. As it was the first county that endorsed Dockery for Governor, and as its delegation were staunch Dockery men, voting for him on every ballot, the resolution is significant, showing the sentiment of the Republicans against him. The following is the resolution as passed:

The action of Oliver H. Dockery in denouncing McKinley and the national Republican platform stamps him as a traitor to his party and one unworthy of our suffrages. His conversion to the cause of free sivler and Populism is of too recent a date to inspire confidence, but is rather to be attributed to petty spleen and disappointment at his failure to secure the nomination for Governor. As Henderson county Republicans were the first to declare for him for Governor, and loyally supported him on every ballot in the convention, so Henderson county Republicans are the first to repudiate him as a traitor to his party, and pledge ourselves that he shall not receive a single Republican ballot in this county."

FISHING AT BEAUFORT.

Fifteen Hundred Barrels of Mullets Caught at One Haul.

[*Star Correspondence.*]

BEAUFORT, N. C., Sept. 1.—Yesterday the crew of Chadwick & Jones' factory were fishing for fat-backs when they made a haul of mullets, estimated at 1,500 barrels. This means that there were about 150,000 fish caught, as they run one hundred to the barrel. Last night the fish-houses of Morehead and Beaufort furnished scenes of the liveliest activity.

Such enormous catches are not frequent. In fact, they are made only two or three times a year, and then only in the peculiarly-constructed "purse-nets" used in deep water for catching shad and fat-backs. The seines commonly used hardly ever bring in more than 150 barrels.

The catch yesterday was sold at seventy-five cents a hundred; part to Watson and Wallace, of Morehead, and part to Duncan and Taylor, of Beaufort.

Audit and Finance.

The Board of Audit and Finance met yesterday in regular session, Chairman Calder being absent, on motion of Mr. C. W. Yates, Mr. H. C. McQueen took the chair.

No business of importance was transacted. Bills were audited and approved as follows: Current expenses, $4,582.43; interest, $56.

The Clerk of the Board submitted a report of the examination of the books of the City Clerk and Treasurer, showing balance of cash on hand September 1st, $3,246 23.

THE DOCKERY BOMB.

THE FARMER OF THE PEE DEE LAUNCHES THE BIGGEST POLITICAL SENSATION OF THE CAMPAIGN.

Fuller Reports of the Meeting at Wadesboro —Dockery's Fierce Denunciation of Russell—The Negroes Pleased With the Speech.

The special telegrams printed in the STAR of Sunday gave a complete outline of the great political sensation started by Dockery, at Wadesboro, Saturday; but the following details from the report of the Charlotte *Observer* are interesting:

Congressman Martin introduced "the Old War Horse of the Pee Dee."

Col. Dockery came forth and announced to the crowd that he had a chill and would not attempt to make a speech. But he did make a short one. The crowd was no longer in doubt as to where he stood when he had finished. He said: "The Republican principle I like in general, but I am not going with them this time. Two years ago the Republicans of Richmond county adopted a resolution, one clause of which read this way: 'We, the Republicans of Richmond county declare for the free and unlimited coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1.' I went on to Raleigh and was chairman of the convention there and appointed a committee on resolutions, of which Loge Harris was chairman, and I told it to put in a free silver resolution, which was done and adopted by the convention. And to-day the Republicans in this State stand bound by that resolution.

'Some time ago Russell swindled me out of the nomination for Governor, and now I am glad, for I should have resigned after McKinley was nominated on account of his gold-bug ideas.

"The people want more money. They want free silver. Look at Russell, Pritchard, Settle and the like, going over the State howling for gold. I will not turn my back on those silver resolutions of two years ago. I am for silver and against any party that is not for it. I could not advise anybody to do what I do not think is right. I do not think the gold standard is right and cannot advise you to vote for it. We are living in perilous times, dangerous times. I never saw more nakedness; I never saw more cloth in factories that cannot be taken out for lack of money. The gold-bugs say that the times are good. Such men should be put in the asylum and the door locked with sixteen keys.

"I love the principles, generally, of the Republican party. The principles that Clay handed down. The Republican party followed him and said that the laboring classes must be protected. I believe in protection. But I would not vote for the McKinley bill now, because that is protecting one section against another. It would be fatal to the South. I am for reasonable protection."

The crime of 1873, the speaker said, had ruined the money of the people. Silver was the laboring man's friend. "You elect McKinley and these gold-bugs and you will bring down a curse upon your own heads. I will follow my convictions and not my party.

"In the State convention I beat Russell 20 votes, but by the chairman I was beaten out of the nomination.

'I am for free silver, first; the present county government system, second, and honest elections third. I am not a Populist. I am a silver Republican, acting in accord with the Populist party. I will advise you, as I will do, to vote for Maj. Guthrie for Governor. It is true that he has been in all parties. He voted the Democratic ticket; bad judgment, I think; he then voted the Populist ticket; better, you see, as he comes along. The Democrats dread him worse than they do the devil. He has been snubbed by them. I have, also, and know how it feels. But you can't wet a duck by pouring water on his back. Russell wanted the nomination the year that Fowle and myself were nominated. His brother, Tom Russell, came out to see me on my farm and asked me if I was going to run, and I told him no, and that I would do anything that I could for his brother. I heard no more, but stayed at home, and the day of the convention, to my great surprise, I got a telegram telling me that I was nominated for Governor. I thought over it a long time, and finally, on account of my dear wife's pleas, accepted it. She told me to accept and fight for it, and it defeated I might get a place through Blaine, which I did. I was counted out, and Fowle elected by the Democrats. But I got a place to Brazil. I came back to settle up, and the Democrat, Fowler, of the department under which I was, told me that I was an honest man; that I had managed affairs well. While there I studied the money question well, and now I am for free silver."

"Russell hooted at it, and now he yells for it. Russell has been writing to Republicans North that negroes should be disfranchised."

This seemed to take the negroes by storm. Dockery made a good hit at Russell with that statement. He said he never scratched a colored man's name from a ticket, but instead voted for them.

"The third thing that I want is honest elections. We got that by co-operation with his (Guthrie's) party. We want to do it again.

"I am placed on the Republican party's ticket. They may keep me there if they wish, but it will be late in the day when I tell them that I will accept. I am for the working man and his protection. You ought to fuse, not co-operate—melt together like lard. Then when the election is over beat the drums and march off again. I am a free silver Republican and I would be a fool to canvass the State for silver and then vote for McKinley. When you have got what you want go back to your old party if you wish. I may do it. I can't say."

The speaker urged the blacks and whites to stand together, for their cause was the same, either being dependent upon the other.

"A man that can vote for McKinley is crazy. Look at Pritchard; just wild for silver; it was the thing that the whole country wanted; silver now, gold after March 4th. Why, there is pie in it. So it is with Russell, Pearson and all the Republicans that are now cursing me.

"I want a joint discussion with some of these big men. If they can swallow me, all right. If Russell does it he will have more brains in his belly than he ever had in his head."

Here the speaker closed, while the crowd called for more.

One Cent a Word.

Hereafter advertisements to go in our 'Business Locals" department will be charged one cent per word for each insertion; but no advertisement, however short, will be taken for less than 20 cents

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COMMITTEE MEETINGS.

Populists to Meet Next Friday and Republicans Next Week.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

RALEIGH, September 1.—The Populist Central Committee is called to meet at 10 o'clock next Friday morning, to call a meeting of the State Committee.

The Republican State Committee will meet next week to take Dockery down.

If there is anything you want, advertise for it. Is there anything you don't want? Advertise it in the Business Locals of the STAR. One cent a word. But no ad. taken for ess than 20 cents. tf

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

PRIMARIES.

NOTICE.

To the Democratic Voters of New Hanover County:

All qualified voters are requested to participate in the precinct primaries which are hereby called to be held on Tuesday, the 15th day of September, between the hours of 8 and 9 o'clock p. m. in the city, and 12 m. and 7 p. m. in the county precincts, for the purpose of electing delegates to the County Convention, which Convention will meet on Saturday, the 19th day of September, at 13 o'clock m., at the Court House, in the City of Wilmington, for the purpose of nominating a County ticket.

The Primaries called between the above mentioned hours will be held at the following places, i. e:

1st Ward, at Phœnix Hose House.
2nd Ward, at the old Court House.
3rd Ward, at Giblem Lodge.
4th Ward, No. 121 Front street (between Dock and Orange.
5th Ward, Fifth Ward Truck House
Cape Fear Township, at Cowan's store.
Harnett Township, at Township House.
Masonboro Township, Myrtle Grove School House.
Federal Point Township, Riddle's store.

In the Wards containing more than one Precinct, boxes for each division will be provided, so that each Precinct will vote separately. The following are appointed poll holders and registrars and will certify to the County Convention the result:

For 1st Ward—C. L. Spencer, Charles M. Harriss, poll holders; F. P. Skipper, registrar.

For 2nd Ward—P. Heinsberger, Jr., M. P. Taylor, Sr., poll holders; Wallace H. Styron, registrar.

For 3d Ward—D. C. Love, Walker Meares, poll holders; E. F. Johnson, registrar.

For 4th Ward—O. A. Wiggins, W. P. Oldham, poll holders; W. B. McKoy, registrar.

For 5th Ward—J. J. Smith, R. H. McKoy, poll holders; Walker Taylor, registrar.

For Cape Fear Township—Samuel Blossom, E. Dempsey, poll holders; J. T. Kerr, registrar.

For Harnett Township—G. H. Alexander, B. B. Humphrey, poll holders; S. J. Jones, registrar.

For Masonboro Township—C. W. Bishop, C. W. Stokely, poll holders; D. J. Fergus, registrar.

For Federal Point Township—H. B. Taylor, John A. Biddle, poll holders; W. B. Rhodes, registrar.

Primaries are entitled to the following representation in the County Convention:

First Ward—First Precinct, five delegates; Second Precinct, five delegates; Third Precinct, four delegates; Fourth Precinct, two delegates; Fifth Precinct, two delegates.

Second Ward—Seventeen delegates.

Third Ward—First Precinct, three delegates; Second Precinct, nine delegates.

Fourth Ward—First Precinct, eight delegates; Second Precint, seven delegates.

Fifth Ward—First Precinct, five delegates; Second Precinct, eight delegates; Third Precinct, five delegates, Fourth Precinct, three delegates.

Cape Fear Township—Two delegates.
Harnett Township—Four delegates.
Masonboro Township—Two delegates.
Federal Township—One delegate.

NOTE—According to the party plan recently issued by the State Democratic Executive Committee, the candidates for the House of Representatives and County offices may be voted for at these primaries, and the delegates shall vote in the County Convention for these candidates in accordance with the vote of their respective precincts for said candidates; that is to say, each candidate shall receive in the County Convention that portion of the vote to which the precinct may be entitled, which he received in the precinct election.

By order of the Democratic Executive Committee of New Hanover county.

H. McL. GREEN, Chairman.
B. F. KING, Secretary.
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WILMINGTON, N. C.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, SEPT. 2, 1896

NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

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CONGRESSIONAL TICKET.

1st District—W. H. Lucas, of Hyde.
2d " F. A. Woodard, of Wilson.
3d " Frank Thompson, Onslow.
4th " E. W. Pou, of Johnston.
5th " W. W. Kitchin, of Person.
6th " Jas. A. Lockhart, of Anson.
7th " S. J. Pemberton, of Stanly.
8th " R. A. Doughton, Alleghany
9th " Jos. S. Adams, Buncombe.

☞ COCKRAN ON SLAVEHOLDERS.—Will you submit to this conspiracy between the professional farmers, the farmers who cultivate the quarrels of their neighbhrs, farmers who labor with their jaws, Populist agitators of the West, and the unreconciled slave-holders of the South? This is a conspiracy between professional farmers, who want to pay low wages, and the unreconciled slave-holders, who would like to pay no wages at all.—(Extract from the speech of Bourke Cockran, delivered in New York August 18th.)

ABSURD REASONING.

In his letter of acceptance Mr. McKinley, referring and in answer to the contention of the free silver men that the free coinage of silver at a ratio of 16 to 1 would make the silver dollar the equal of the gold dollar, says suppose we admit this, how would that benefit the mass of the people, for that kind of a dollar would not be any "easier to get" than the dollar is now. In his speech at Carnegie Hall, New York, ex-President Harrison said substantially the same thing. Reduced to its essence this means, if it means anything, that it doesn't make any difference whether there be much or little money in circulation, and that it is as "easy to get" money when the per capita circulation is $5 as when it is $50. Orator Cockran said the same thing when he was answering Mr. Bryan's speech. They all say it, for this is one of their stock absurdities which they pass off for argument.

And yet these gentlemen are continually parading the large volume of money we have in circulation, and give this as one of the evidences of our progressiveness and prosperity. There is not one of them who does not profess to be in favor of bimetallism and of the unlimited coinage of silver, if we can get an agreement between the leading commercial nations as to the ratio for coinage. Their reason for insisting upon an international understanding is to secure the permanent maintenance of the value of the silver coins and to prevent their depreciation, which they contend would be the result if this Government undertook the free coinage of silver independently. When they proclaim in favor of the free and unlimited coinage of silver by international agreement and in the same breath tell us that if after free coinage the silver dollar retains its present value it will not be "easier to get" than it is now, and therefore the masses of the people will not be benefitted by free coinage, do they not stultify themselves and expose the absurdity of their own reasoning? If free coinage by international agreement will not make money easier to get, why favor it? and why not say we have enough and be done with it? The only sensible reason that can be given for an increase in the volume of money by whatever method that it may be done, is to make the dollars more numerous that they may be the more easily gotten.

But there are some things which these statesmen find it convenient to forget or to ignore when they are uttering absurdities of this kind, and one of these is that the more money there is in circulation, the greater the disposition to invest it in productive enterprises, to give it employment of some kind, not because the money is less valuable, but because being abundant there is less disposition to hoard it for speculation or by those who may think they will have future use for it and hoard because they fear they might not be able to get it when they wanted it.

We will venture this prediction right here. If Wm. J. Bryan be elected President of the United States and the free and unlimited coinage of silver become the established policy of this Government, we will enter on an era of progress and prosperity such as this country has not seen within a generation. Then there will be an end to the croaking and the pessimistic predictions we hear now, and the dollars that are in hiding will come out for investment before the other dollars are added to the volume to make them "cheap," as it is called. They will not wait till the process of minting begins, but these dollars will come out and go into the building of railroads, opening mines, building factories and seeking employment in numerous ways to bring their owners profit and add to the aggregate wealth of the country. This will mean not only a stimulus to business, but the enhancement of the value of property, and employment to the thousands and many thousands who now find it difficult to earn the money to buy food, clothing and shelter.

The whole country would reap benefit from this, but no section more than the South, which, considering her great natural advantages, and unbounded resources, has suffered more than any other section from the scarcity of money, for which she has in a great measure been dependent upon the North, whose syndicates, under the present monetary system, have a practical monopoly of the money of the country. Double the volume and the South would hum with activity, and in less than a decade would lead all the sections.

MINOR MENTION.

The Washington *Post*, a gold standard paper, but one which discusses this question in a spirit of fairness, asks: "Where is the Fool-Killer?" that he does not attend to some of the gold standard organs which are publishing so much fool stuff, and thereby, as the *Post* asserts, injuring their own cause. It quotes the following from the New York *Advertiser*:

If Bryan should be elected and the present silver dollar should cease to be protected by the Government and the gold reserve fund, who would be the losers when the country began business on a silver basis and the millions of silver dollars now in circulation were found to be worth only their bullion value and not their face value—53 cents instead of 100 cents?

The farmers and the workingmen!

The silver dollars already coined would not be found in the hands of the capitalists and bankers, but in the custody of men and women who have hoarded up small sums, who are part owners of property, insurance policy holders and small tradespeople. No one pretends that the outstanding silver dollars would be redeemed. They would instantly become worth 53 cents only. The loss, therefore, would fall directly upon the very people whom the free silver advocates pretend that free coinage will help.

No dream of the hasheesh smoker is more fantastic or unreal than the dream of the free silver advocates.

Upon this it comments thus:

We should like to know when and where, for how long and to what extent, the silver dollar has been protected by the gold reserve fund. Upon what occasion has the Treasury paid out gold in exchange for silver dollars, and where is the law requiring the Treasury to do so? The silver dollar passes current because it is a legal tender for public and private debts and for no other reason. Our paper money passed the same way thirty years ago, when there was nothing in the Treasury to redeem it, and, strange to say, between 1866 and 1876 the country enjoyed a period of unparalleled prosperity. But there was no gold to redeem that paper. Specie payment was not resumed until 1879. There is and has been no question of redeeming silver dollars in gold. Even if there were such a pretence it would be the shallowest of farces. The Treasury couldn't pay in gold 20 cents on the dollar if the silver and the silver certificates were presented to-morrow for redemption. The Treasury has been redeeming "coin" notes in gold, and has had within three years to borrow $262,000,000 to maintain the process, but to talk about the silver dollar being redeemable in gold is nonsense.

This is a plain statement of fact which exposes the rottenness of the pretence that the value of the silver dollar is maintained by the alleged pledge to keep it at a parity with gold. But if the fool-killer started out with his club the gold standard would be left with very few organs and very few orators, and some with quite distinguished names would be suddenly removed.

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If the reception given to Wm. J. Bryan at Cleveland, Ohio, be anything of an index to public sentiment in that State we can very well understand why Mark Hanna told the Boston millionaires that "the East was too confident," and that it was "too early to predict as to Ohio, Indiana, and Illinois." We know the fact that the free silver sentiment is very strong and very aggressive in Ohio, especially in the rural districts, but Cleveland is a manufacturing city, the home of Mr. Hanna, who has been managing Mr. McKinley and his campaign, and hence this enthusiastic greeting to Mr. Bryan by the thousands of people who packed the streets of that city is particularly significant, and doubtless came in the way of an "object lesson" which Mr. Hanna and his lieutenants will not fail to study. Mr. Bryan made two speeches the evening of his reception, in two different halls, neither being large enough to accommodate the people who wanted to hear him, and while neither of these speeches was marked by flights of captivating eloquence they were received with an enthusiasm kindred to that which carried away the Chicago convention when Mr. Bryan delivered his remarkable speech there. Occurring in Mr. McKinley's State and in Mr. Hanna's city, this popular demonstration was a glorious triumph for Mr. Bryan and the cause he represents.

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One of the significant features of the political movement this year is the organization of Republican free silver clubs pledged to support Bryan and Sewall. In New York, Pennsylvania and adjoining States thousands of Republicans have joined the Bryan and Sewall clubs, but in some of the central Western States the free silver sentiment is so pronounced among the Republicans that they are organizing clubs of their own on that issue and pledging themselves to work for the election of Bryan and Sewall. At Terre Haute, Indiana, a few days ago, one of these clubs was formed and after the meeting, which was addressed by several Republicans of local prominence, including a colored man who is the Republican nominee for the Legislature, 183 men signed the roll, every one of whom had been voting the Republican ticket. This is one of the factors in the present contest which perplexes the Republican machine managers and fills them with consternation. Heretofore they could figure with some degree of certainty on the outlook, but the free silver sentiment pervades the Republican ranks so deeply now that they are at sea and don't know where to begin to do the figuring. It has been remarked that this is going to be an election of surprises, and the developments of every day make this more apparent.

The Winston *Sentinel* is responsible for the statement that a Salem lady says there is "a young couple in the Twin city who do their courting in the Salem graveyard, and may be seen there six nights in a week." This does not necessarily imply that this Salem lady has a good deal of spare time if not curiosity, but it may imply that these young people have a due appreciation of the solemnity of the business in which they are engaged and the grave results that may come from it.

The Washington correspondent of the Philadelphia *Ledger*, gold paper, quotes Lawrence Gardiner, Secretary of the League of Democratic Clubs, as saying that Senator Tillman in his two weeks' tour in Pennsylvania made thousands of free silver converts, and that the Democrats will carry from eleven to sixteen Congressional districts in that State this year.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— About the most prominent feature of the McKinley camgaign is the unanimity of the dollars. Dollars, however, are not votes.—*New York Journal, Dem.*

—— The solicitude manifested for the welfare of the workingman by the Hannas, Ickleheimers, Morgans, and other philanthropists is very touching. These people get up in the night to study up methods to benefit the workingman.—*Knoxville Tribune, Dem.*

—— "The farmers of the West," says the Philadelphia *Times*, "market the great bulk of their products in the Middle and Eastern States, and they will not be foolish enough to engage in an industrial war with their natural allies." It is then a question of "natural allies" with the Western farmers, is it? That does not promise well for the protected manufacturers' ticket.—*Charleston News and Courier, Dem.*

—— A railway system in Tennessee that is attempting, by circulars, to make its employes vote for McKinley, is owned in Holland. A Maryland system, similarly employed, is owned in England. The Nashville *Sun* says: "These foreign wire pullers have not more blood in their veins than they have mercy or the milk of kindness in their hearts. They water and gouge, then water again and gouge again, and on top of it issue new bonds." They also expect the American people to be bought like sheep.—*Augusta Chronicle, Dem.*

TWINKLINGS.

Natural—Boggs: How is it that your hair is white, while your beard is dark?

Noggs—It's the most natural thing in the world.

Boggs—Indeed!

Noggs—It is thirty years older.—*Tit-Bits.*

— No Delay on Her Account—Mistress (to new servant): We have breakfast generally about 8 o'clock.

New Servant—Well, mum, if I aint down to it, don't wait.

— Everybody Missing—Spanish General (after the battle)—"How many missing, Colonel?"

Spanish Colonel—"Everybody's missing—we haven't hit a Cuban for some time."—*Truth.*

— Wife—What sort of a story is this you are trying to tell me?

Husband—Di'iect (hic) sthory, m'dear.—*Detroit Tribune.*

— "Allow me to hand you my bill," said Dr. Perkins Soonover to Mr. Slowpay, who, after glancing at it, exclaimed: "Great Scott! Was I as sick as all that?"—*Texas Sifter.*

— "Have you read that article, 'How to Tell a Bad Egg?'"

"No, I haven't, but my advice would be if you have anything important to tell a bad egg, why, break it gently."—*Household Words.*

— Tommy—"Mamma, I wish you were interested in foreign missions."

Mamma—"Why?"

Tommy—"'Cos Billy Barlow's mamma is and she doesn't notice when Bill does naughty things."—*Harper's Bazar.*

APPOINTMENTS WILMINGTON DISTRICT.

W. S. Rone, Presiding Elder.

Clinton circuit, Kendall's, September 5, 6.

Mission, Haw Branch, September 12, 13.

Onslow circuit, Swansboro, September 19, 20.

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Lincolnton *Democrat*: Lincoln county has a number of undeveloped gold mines. At the mine of Maj. Burton, only three and a half miles from town, 1,800 dwts. of nuggets of gold have been found in the last year or two. One of the nuggets weighed 350 dwts. This mine is on a line with the King's Mountain property, extending from southwest to northeast.

— Concord *Standard*: Rev. Paul Barringer was in the city and told a *Standard* reporter that the gold mining business in No. 6 is running on a very large scale. At the Capt. John C. Watts' place several shafts have been sunk, and the ore is panning out surprisingly. Several big finds have been reported, and the ore is unusually rich. One engine and hoister had been placed at this mine and two more will be put in as soon as the machinery arrives. Other mines in that township are being operated with successful and encouraging results. Rich finds continue at the Ritchie Bros'. mine, and the craving for gold is little less than a fever.

— Salisbury *World*: Lloyd Swicegood, of this city, has had an experience with lamp bugs that is out of the ordinary. One night about a month ago he was lying down reading when a bug, such as are usually found flying around a light in warm weather, flew into his ear. He could not find the bug in his ear and he applied to physicians and they could not see it. Since that time he has been sorely afflicted with headaches and finally his hearing became defective. Saturday night he applied to Dr. J. S. Brown for treatment and insisted that a thorough examination should be made. A minute investigation proved that the bug was in the ear, but so far back that it would be impossible for the naked eye to discover it. With the aid of instruments the bug was removed and Mt. Swicegood's troubles with his head have ceased.

CALLING THE STATIONS.

Little Mistakes That Sometimes Occur In Their Frequent Repetition.

"Occasionally," said a man, "one hears a guard on the elevated road call the next station back instead of the one ahead. Coming down on the Sixth avenue road, for instance, he might, on leaving Grand street, look in and say, 'The next station is Bleecker street,' when he meant Franklin. Still, this is rarely done, not nearly so often as one might think it would be, by men calling the stations over and over again all day long. To be sure it might seem that the names would be by frequent repetition so deeply graven on their memory that there would be the less danger of calling them wrong, but what I suppose happens is this—that sometimes the mind unconsciously switches over, and the guard calls from the up list instead of the down, or vice versa.

"Sometimes when a guard miscalls a station he lets it go—perhaps he doesn't think of it himself. Sometimes he corrects in a mild tone of voice, as though the least said about it the better. Sometimes he sets it straight clearly and unmistakably. I rode up town the other day on a Sixth avenue Harlem train with a guard who, as the train left Forty-second street, looked in and said, 'Fiftieth next, Fifty-eighth street train, change there for Harlem.' But the next minute he looked in again and said, with equal if not greater distinction and deliberation, 'Fiftieth next, Harlem train, change there for Fifty-eighth street.'

"Here was a case that was a little different: A newsman who got off a Sixth avenue train with a bundle of papers at Fifty-third street handed a paper to the guard and asked him to give it to the ticket chopper at One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street. The guard looked into the car as the train started and said, 'Hundred and Thirty-fifth street next,' but this was so far off that it really needed no correction, and very reasonably the guard let it go at that, but he smiled as he closed the door."—New York Sun.

Socialism's Kant and Cant.

The German mind is of the type that loves to build imaginary schemes and to dream dreams of the regeneration of mankind. It revels in views, theories, philosophical systems and ideas. It is rather tentative and nebulous than precise and well defined. Dr. Mansel, in allusion to the proneness of the German to indulge in vague and shadowy speculations, has described his country as

The land which produced one Kant with a K
And a great many Cants with a C.

The Frenchman rushes onward to conclusions, the German feels his way. Moreover, the German socialist can plead in his defense that, alter all, he is only bettering the instructions of his rulers.

State socialism is the recognized creed of the great majority of influential Germans. It is notorious that Bismarck himself used to take counsel of that eminent socialist Lassalle. The reigning emperor is credited with having much the same ideas, and it is said that he wishes to become known, as his great prototype before him, as a true king of the beggars.—Macmillan's Magazine.

Leighton's Generosity.

The following story is characteristic of Lord Leighton's kindness to poor students: A young fellow, without friends or money, came to London to make his fortune with his brush. Orders for pictures were not forthcoming, however, and the young painter found himself reduced to dining on sunset effects. In despair he wrote to the president of the academy at his private address in Holland Park, stating his case, and forwarding at the same time some specimens of his work. Within a few days he received an answer, asking him to call at Sir Frederick's house. The president of the academy received him kindly, advised him to study more and gave him two letters of introduction. As the young man was leaving Sir Frederick handed him an envelope, remarking: "Here is an example of the best kind of drawing. No doubt one of these days you'll be able to do as well, if not better." It contained a check for £50. The recipient is a long way up the ladder now.

A Downfall.

Wanderer—Yes. A few years ago I was just rollin in wealth.

Kind Hearted Housekeeper — Poor man! Here is a shilling. Drink did it, I suppose?

Wanderer—No'm. Religion.

Kind Hearted Housekeeper — Religion?

Wanderer—Yes'm. I was one of the most successful burglars in the country, but I got religion and couldn't work at me trade no more. Thanks!—London Tit-Bits.

Carnegie's Bull.

The Boston Pilot thinks that many so called Irish bulls are not really Irish at all, and it gives as an illustration a sentence from a recent article by Andrew Carnegie, who is certainly not Irish. "Canada," says Mr. Carnegie, "remains only nominally hers, a wayward child, unjust and tyrannical to her mother because bursting into manhood."

PUBLIC SPEAKING.

Chairman Manly, of the Democratic Executive Committee and Chairman Ayer, of the Populist Committee, have arranged the dates and places for the joint canvass between Cyrus B. Watson, Democratic nominee for Governor, and W. A. Guthrie, Populist nominee. They are as follows:

Rutherfordton, Friday, Sept. 4th.
Shelby, Saturday, Sept. 5th.
Salisbury, Friday, Sept. 11th.
Concord, Saturday, Sept. 12th.
Hendersonville, Monday, Sept. 14th.
Bryson City, Wednesday, Sept. 16th.
Waynesville, Sept. 17th.
Marshall, Friday, Sept. 18th.
Asheville, Saturday, Sept. 19th.
Taylorsville, Monday, Sept. 21st.
Wilkesboro, Tuesday, Sept. 22nd.

Come out and hear the candidates discuss the issues of the day.

Judge Russell, the Republican candidate for Governor, has been invited to speak at all these appointments.

CLEMENT MANLY,
Chairman State Dem. Ex. Com.
HAL W. AYER,
Chairman People's Party Ex. Com.

Mr. Watson will also meet promptly his appointments as heretofore announced, to wit:

Marion, Wednesday, September 2.
Lincolnton, Monday, September 7.
Lexington, Tuesday, September 8.

CLEMENT MANLY, Chairman.

Judge Russell, Republican candidate for Governor, has been invited to meet Mr. Watson in joint discussion at all appointments.

The Democratic candidate for Lieutenant Governor, Capt. Thomas W. Mason and Locke Craige, Esq., Democratic Elector at Large, will address the people at the following times and places:

Franklin, Wednesday, Sept. 2d.
Murphy, Friday, Sept. 4th.
Bryson City, Saturday, Sept. 5th.
Marshall, Tuesday, Sept. 8th.
Mars Hill, Wednesday, Sept. 9th.
Burnsville, Thursday, Sept. 10th.
Bakersville, Saturday, Sept. 12th.

Come and hear a discussion of the great issues—free silver, financial reform, trusts and monopolies, income tax and good government.

CLEMENT MANLY,
Chairman State Dem. Ex. Com.
JOHN W. THOMPSON,
Secretary.

HON. THOMAS J. JARVIS.

Hon. Thomas J. Jarvis will address the people at the following times and places:

Maxton, Wednesday, Sept. 2
Wilmington, at night, Thursday, September 3.
Lumberton, Saturday, Sept. 5.

CAPT. COOKE AND HON. F. M. SIMMONS

Will address the people at the following times and places:

High Point, Wednesday, Sept. 2.
Reidsville, Thursday, September 3.
Louisburg, Saturday, Sept. 5.
Wadesboro, Tuesday, Sept. 8.
Rockingham, Wednesday, Sept. 9.
Laurinburg, Thursday, Sept. 10.

Capt. Chas. M. Cooke will address the people at Burlington Tuesday night, Sept. 1.

HON. CHAS B AYCOCK

Will address the people at the following times and places:

Greenville, Wednesday, Sept. 2d.
Grifton, Thursday, Sept. 3d.
Swift Creek, Craven county, Friday, Sept. 4.
LaGrange, Saturday, Sept. 5th.
Pollocksville, Tuesday, Sept. 8th.
Jacksonville, Wednesday, Sept. 9th.
Richlands, Thursday, Sept. 10th.
Hallsville, Friday, Sept. 11. (Duplin county)
Warsaw, Saturday, Sept. 12.

HON. B. F. AYCOCK,

Democratic candidate for State Treasurer, will address the people at the following times and places:

Smithfield, Johnston county, Tuesday, September 1.
Dunn, Harnett county, Wednesday, September 2.
Newton Grove, Sampson county, Thursday, September 3.
Clinton, Sampson county, Friday, September 4.
Taylor's Bridge, Saturday, September 5.
Kenansville, Duplin county, Monday, September 7.
Rocky Point, Pender county, Tuesday, September 8.
Faison, Duplin county, Wednesday, September 9.
Elm City, Wilson county, Thursday, September 10.
Nashville, Nash county, Friday, September 11.
Springhope, Nash county, Saturday, September 12.
Sutton's, Franklin county, Monday, September 14.
Wakefield, Wake county, Tuesday, September 15.
Rolesville, Wake county, Wednesday, September 16.
Youngsville, Franklin county, Thursday, September 17.
Auburn, Wake county, Friday, September 18.
Princeton, Johnston county, Saturday, September 19.

Hon. Frank Thompson, Democratic candidate for Congress, has been requested to speak with Mr. Aycock at all appointments in the Third District.

Hon. E. W. Pou at all appointments in the Fourth District.

HON. THOMAS W. MASON,

Democratic candidate for Lieutenant Governor, will address the people at

Boone, Watauga county, Tuesday, September 15.
Old Field, Ashe county, Wednesday, September 16.
Jefferson, Ashe county, Thursday, September 17.
Sparta, Saturday, September 19.

Hon. R. A. Doughton, Democratic candidate for Congress, has been requested to speak with Mr. Mason at the above appointments.

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BAGGING—			
2 ℔ Jute		@	6¼
Standard		@	6¾
WESTERN SMOKED—			
Hams ⅌ ℔	12	@	14
Sides ⅌ ℔	6	@	7
Shoulders ⅌ ℔	6	@	6¼
DRY SALTED—			
Sides ⅌ ℔	4	@	4¼
Shoulders ⅌ ℔		@	4¼
BARRELS—Spirits Turpentine—			
Second-hand, each	1 00	@	1 10
New New York, each	1 35	@	1 40
New City, each		@	1 40
BEESWAX ⅌ ℔	23	@	24
BRICKS—			
Wilmington ⅌ M	6 50	@	7 00
Northern	9 00	@	14 00
BUTTER—			
North Carolina ⅌ ℔	15	@	
Northern	23	@	
CORN MEAL—			
Per Bushel, in sacks	40	@	42½
Virginia Meal	40	@	42½
COTTON TIES—⅌ bundle		@	1 40
CANDLES—⅌ ℔—			
Sperm	18	@	25
Adamantine	9	@	10
CHEESE—⅌ ℔—			
Northern Factory	10	@	11
Dairy, Cream	11	@	12
State		@	10
COFFEE—⅌ ℔—			
Laguyra	20	@	
Rio	13	@	17
DOMESTICS—			
Sheeting, 4-4, ⅌ yard		@	5¾
Yarns, ⅌ bunch	18	@	20
EGGS—⅌ dozen	9	@	8
FISH—			
Mackerel, No 1, ⅌ barrel	22 00	@	30 00
Mackerel, No 1, ⅌ half-barrel	11 00	@	15 00
Mackerel, No 2, ⅌ barrel	16 00	@	18 00
Mackerel, No 2, ⅌ half-barrel	8 00	@	9 00
Mackerel, No 3, ⅌ barrel	13 00	@	14 00
Mullets, ⅌ barrel	3 00	@	3 25
Mullets, ⅌ pork barrel	5 75	@	6 00
N. C. Roe Herring, ⅌ keg	3 00	@	3 25
Dry Cod, ⅌ ℔	5	@	10
" Extra	3 35	@	3 50
FLOUR—⅌ barrel—			
Low grade	3 25	@	3 00
Choice	3 25	@	3 25
Straight	4 10	@	4 50
First Patent	4 45	@	4 47
GLUE—⅌ ℔—	7½	@	8½
GRAIN—⅌ bushel—			45
Corn, from store, bags—White		@	42½
Corn, cargo, in bulk—White		@	42½
Corn, cargo, in bags—White		@	40
Oats, from store	30	@	32½
Oats, Rust Proof	40	@	40
Cow Peas	40	@	
HIDES, ⅌ ℔—			
Green		@	6
Dry		@	8
HAY, ⅌ 100 ℔s—			
Eastern		@	1 05
Western		@	90
North River		@	85
HOOP IRON, ⅌ ℔	2	@	2¼
LARD, ⅌ ℔—			
Northern	5	@	6
North Carolina	6	@	10
LIME ⅌ barrel		@	1 25
LUMBER (city sawed), ⅌ M feet—			
Ship Stuff, resawed	18 00	@	20 00
Rough-edge Plank	15 00	@	16 00
West India cargoes, according to quality	13 00	@	18 00
Dressed Flooring, seasoned	18 00	@	22 00
Scantling and Board, common	14 00	@	15 00
MOLASSES, ⅌ gallon—			
New Crop Cuba, in hhds		@	22
" " " in bbls		@	23
Porto Rico, in hhds	25	@	29
" " in bbls		@	30
Sugar-House, in hhds	12	@	14
" " in bbls	14	@	15
Syrup, in bbls	13	@	
NAILS, ⅌ keg, Cut 60d basis	2 35	@	2 64
PORK, ⅌ barrel—			
City Mess		@	8 00
Rump		@	7 50
Prime		@	7 50
ROPE, ⅌ ℔	10	@	22
SALT, ⅌ sack Alum		@	75
Liverpool		@	65
Lisbon		@	
American		@	65
On 125 ℔ Sacks	40	@	45
SHINGLES, 7-inch, ⅌ M	5 00	@	6 50
Common	1 60	@	2 25
Cypress Saps	2 50	@	3 50
SUGAR, ⅌ ℔—Standard Granu'd		@	4⅞
Standard A		@	4⅝
White Ex. C		@	4⅜
Extra C, Golden	4	@	4¼
C. Yellow		@	3
SOAP, ⅌ ℔—Northern	3¼	@	4
STAVES, ⅌ M—W. O. barrel	8 00	@	14 00
R. O. Hogshead		@	10 00
TIMBER, ⅌ M feet—Shipping		@	9 00
Mill, Prime		@	7 00
Mill, Fair	6 50	@	4 50
Common Mill	4 00	@	3 50
Inferior to Ordinary		@	3 00
TALLOW, ⅌ ℔	5	@	
WHISKEY, ⅌ gallon—Northern	1 00	@	2 00
North Carolina	1 00	@	2 00
WOOL, ⅌ ℔—Washed	12	@	14
Unwashed	9	@	10

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

STAR OFFICE, September 1.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market steady at 21¾ cents per gallon for machine-made casks, and 21 cents for country casks.

ROSIN.—Market firm at $1 35 per bbl for Strained and $1 40 for Good Strained.

TAR.—Market quiet at $1 05 per bbl of 280 ℔s.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Quiet. Hard 1.20, Yellow Dip 1.55, Virgin 1.65 per barrel.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine 25@24½c; rosin, strained, $1 12½; good strained $1 17½; tar $1 25; crude turpentine $1 10, 1 50, 1 80.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	88
Rosin	179
Tar	111
Crude Turpentine	24

Receipts same day last year—239 casks spirits turpentine, 996 bbls rosin, 817 bbls tar, 50 bbls crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market firm. Quotations:

Ordinary	5⅛	cts ⅌ ℔
Good Ordinary	6⅜	" "
Low Middling	7 1-16	" "
Middling	7½	" "
Good Middling	7 13-16	" "

Same day last year, middling 7¾c.

Receipts—399 bales; same day last year, 1.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina—Prime, 40@50c per bushel of 28 pounds; Extra Prime, 55c; Fancy, 60@65c. Virginia—Extra Prime, 60@65c; Fancy, 65@70c.

CORN—Firm; 38 to 40 cents per bushel.

N. C. BACON—Steady; Hams, 9 to 11½c per pound; Shoulders, 6 to 7c; Sides, 7 to 7½c.

SHINGLES—Per thousand, five inch, hearts and saps, $1.60 to 2.25; six inch, $2.50 to 3.60; seven inch, $5.50 to 6.50.

TIMBER—Market steady at $3.00 to 7.50 per M.

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, September 1—Evening.—Money on call to-day was easier at 3@8 cent; last loan at 3, closing offered at at 3 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 8@9 per cent. Sterling exchange was firmer; actual business in bankers bills 482½@482¾ for sixty days and 484¼@484½ for demand. Commercial bills 481½@482½. Government bonds steady; United States coupon fours 106¼; United States twos 92 bid. State bonds quiet; North Carolina fours 95; North Carolina sixes 110 bid. Railroad bonds were easier.

Silver at the Stock Exchange to-day was steady.

COMMERCIAL.

NEW YORK, September 1—Evening.—Cotton steady; middling gulf 8 7-16c; middling uplands 8 3-16c.

Cotton futures closed very steady; September 8 04, October 8 10, November 8 09, December 7 16, January 8 20, February 8 24, March 8 29, April 8 33, May 8 37. Sales 396,900 bales.

Cotton—net receipts 75 bales; gross 6,806 bales; exports to Great Britain 8,285 bales; to France 649 bales; to the Continent 5 bales; forwarded 154 bales; sales —— bales; sales to spinners — bales; stock (actual) 63,807 bales.

Total to-day—Net receipts 10,845 bales; exports to Great Britain 2,850 bales; to France 799 bales; to the Continent 162 bales; stock 230,791 bales.

Total so far this week—Net receipts 62,562 bales; exports to Great Britain 14,832 bales; to France 599 bales; to the Continent 1,064 bales.

Total since September 1—Net receipts 10 845 bales; exports to Great Britain 2,850 bales; exports to France 799 bales; exports to the Continent 162 bales.

Flour steady, quiet and unchanged; Southern quiet and unchanged; common to fair extra $2 00@2 60; good to choice $2 60@2 90. Wheat—spot dull and weaker with options; f. o. b 61½c; ungraded red 56@67c; No. 1 Northern 65c; options were fairly active and closed weak at 1@1½c decline; No. 2 red March 68⅞c May 69½c; September 62¾c; October 63½c; November —c; December 65½. Corn—spot active and weaker; No. 2 25¾c at elevator and 26¾c afloat; options were more active and closed weak at ⅜@⅝c decline; September 25¾c; October 26⅝c; December 27⅞c; May 30½c. Oats—spot dull but steady; options more active and weaker; September 19¾c; October 20½c; December 21½c; spot—No. 2 20c; No. 2 white 23½c; mixed Western 19@21c. Hay fairly active; shipping 65@67½c; good to choice old 82½@90c. Lard quiet, easier; Western steam $3 72½; city $3 45@3 50, September $3 62; refined lard was dull; Continent $4 20; South America $4 70; compound $3 87½@4 12½. Pork fairly active and steady; new mess $7 25@@8 25. Butter—demand fair; fancy steady; State dairy 10@15c; do. extra creamery 11½@16½c; Western dairy 8@12c; Elgins 16½. Eggs were fairly active at quotations; State and Pennsylvania 14@16c; Western fresh 14@15c; do. per case $1 00@3 00. Cotton seed oil dull but steady; crude 19@20c; yellow 23c. Rice firm and unchanged. Molasses moderately active, steady and unchanged. Peanuts quiet; fancy hand-picked 4@4½. Coffee steady, unchanged to 5 points down; September $9 50@9 65; December $9 05, March $9 05; May $9 05; spot Rio dull but steady; No. 7, $10 62½. Sugar—raw easier and quiet; fair refining 2⅝c; refined quiet and unchanged.

CHICAGO, September 1.—Cash quotations: Flour quiet and steady; hard wheat spring patents $3 25@3 45; soft wheat patents $3 10@3 30; hard wheat bakers' $2 00@2 25. Wheat—No. 2 spring 55⅝@56⅝c; No. 2 red 60@60½c. Corn—No. 2, 20¼@20¾c. Oats—No. 2, 15⅝@16c. Mess pork, per bbl, $5 70@5 75. Lard, per 100 lbs, $3 32½3 35. Short rib sides, loose, per 100 lbs, $3 15@3 25. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, per 100 lbs, $3 75@4 00. Short clear sides, boxed, per 100 lbs $3 50@3 62½. Whiskey $1 19.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—September 56½@56⅝, 55⅞, 55⅞, 55⅞c; December 59¾@59⅞, 59⅞, 58½, 58½c; May 64½, 64½, 63½c. Corn—September 20⅜@20½, 20⅜, 20½@20½, 20⅜c; October 21½, 21½, 20½, 20¾c; December 22½, 22½, 21½, 21⅝c; May 25½@25½, 25½, 24⅝, 24⅝c. Oats—September 15⅝, 15½, 15½, 15½@15⅝; October 16½, 16½, 15⅞@16, 15⅞@16c; May 19, 19, 18⅞, 18⅞. Mess pork—September $5 52½, 5 75, 5 52½, 5 70; October $5 65, 5 85, 65, 5 75; January $6 87½, 6 87½, 6 82½, 6 82½. Lard—September $3 32½, 3 32½, 3 27½, 3 27½; October $3 37½, 3 40, 3 37½, 3 37½; January $3 72½, 3 75, 3 70, 3 70. Short ribs—September $3 10, 3 15, 3 07½, 3 15; October $3 22½, 3 25, 3 22½, 3 20; January $3 45, 3 47½, 3 45, 3 45.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 1.—Flour dull and unchanged. Wheat weak; spot and the month 61@61½c; October 62@62½c; December 64½@64½c; Steamer No. 2 red 55¾@56c; Southern by sample 60@63c; do on grade 59½@62½c. Corn weak; spot and the month 25½@25⅜c; October 25¾@25⅝c; new or old, November or December, 26½@26½c; January 27@27½c; Steamer mixed 21@21½c; Southern white corn 26½@27½c; do yellow 26½@27½. Oats steady; No. 2 white 25@26c; No. 2 mixed 23@23½c.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

September 1.—Galveston, steady at 7½, net receipts 1,883 bales; Norfolk, firm at 7½, net receipts 1,267 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 8, net receipts — bales; Boston, steady at 7⅞, net receipts — bales. Wilmington, firm at 7½, net receipts 399 bales; Philadelphia, firm at 8 7-16, net receipts 173 bales; Savannah, firm at 7½, net receipts 5,175 bales; New Orleans, firm at 7⅝, net receipts 1,124 bales; Mobile, firm at 7½c, net receipts 210 bales; Memphis, firm at 7½, net receipts 1,184 bales; Augusta, quiet at 7½, net receipts 736 bales; Charleston, firm at 7½, net receipts 593 bales.

FOREIGN MARKETS

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 1.—12.30 P. M.—Cotton, demand moderate and prices firmer. American middling 4 9 32d. Sales 7,000 bales, of which 6,800 were American; speculation and export 500. Receipts 13,000 bales, 2,400 of which were American. Futures opened firm and demand moderate. September 4 14-64, 4 15-64@4 16-64d; September and October 4 8 64, 4 9 64@4 10-64d; October and November 4 7 64d; November and December 4 6 64, 4 7 64@4 8 64d; December and January 4 6 64, 4 7 64@4 8-64d; January and February 4 6 64 4 7 64@4 8-64d; February and March 4 7 64@4 8 64d; March and April 4 8-64@4 9 64d; May and June 4 11 64d. Futures very steady at the advance.

Tenders none.

12 45 P. M.—American spot grades 3 32d higher. American middling fair 4 13-16d; good middling 4½d; middling 4⅜d; low middling 4 9-32d; good ordinary 4 5 32d; ordinary 3 31-32d.

4 P. M.—September 4 22 64@4 23-64d; September and October 4 15-64@4 16-64d buyer; October and November 4 14 64@4 15 64d buyer; November and December 4 13 64@4 14-64d buyer; December and January 4 13-64@4 14-64d buyer; January and February 4 13 64@4 14 64d buyer; February and March 4 14 64@4 15-64d; March and April 4 15 64@4 16 64d seller; April and May 4 16 64@4 17 64d seller; May and June 4 14 64@4 18 64d seller; June and July 4 18 64@4 19 64d seller. Futures closed irregular at the advance.

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A COWBOY RACE.

A pattering rush like the rattle of hail
When the storm king's wild coursers are out on the trail,
A long roll of hoofs—and the earth is a drum!
The centaurs! See! Over the prairie they come!

A rollicking, clattering, battering beat,
A rhythmical thunder of galloping feet,
A swift swirling dustcloud—a mad hurricane
Of swarthy grim faces and tossing black mane.

Hurrah! In the face of the steeds of the sun
The gauntlet is flung and the race is begun!
—J. C. Davis.

THE PRIMULA LADY.

I entirely forget the name of the opera, what it was about and who sang in it, but I know it was the first I ever saw—if indeed I can be said to have seen it! At all events, I was present at the performance, and the evening and its occurrences are indelibly stamped on my memory. I was 17, thoroughly unmusical, but possessed of a keen sense of enjoyment, and the scene, looked upon for the first time in my life, delighted me. The fair faces, the gorgeous toilets, the hum of voices, the light, the movement, all combined to quicken the beat of my pulse and make me feel giddy and light headed.

The curtain went up, and after the first few minutes I began to be bored. It was a heavy opera, so I was told, with no "airs" in it, and full of loud, deafening choruses. It seemed to me there were nothing but choruses—choruses of monks and soldiers and village maidens and peasants—and the noise wearied me. I did not understand the plot, and I turned to the spectators for amusement. Opposite to us, in a box immediately facing ours, sat a couple whose appearance arrested my attention. I could not see the lady's face, for it was turned away from me toward the stage, but in her hair was a diamond comb of quaint design that took my fancy. Against the smooth dark tresses the stones sparkled and glittered as in a setting of onyx. It was a warm evening, but she kept her brocade cloak of a curious shade of Rose du Barri pink shot with gold wrapped closely round her. She had no bouquet, but in front of her, on the ledge of the box, was an enormous black feather fan mounted in tortoise shell. Her companion—a slight man with a pale olive complexion and dark beard streaked with gray—had a face that interested me strangely. It wore such a weary expression—more weary perhaps than actually sad. He looked like a man who at some time or other during his life had made an effort beyond his strength and had never recovered from the exertion. Like me, he did not appear to be interested in the story of the opera.

The noise went on. The peasants retired, and after a short love scene between the hero and the heroine a band of soldiers came on and sang to some very loud music. I leaned back in my seat. My head was beginning to ache and my eyes to feel tired. I closed them, simply for a few minutes' rest. When I opened them, they seemed to light naturally on my opposite neighbors, and I started as I noticed the changed aspect of the box. The lady had evidently thrown off her cloak and had come more forward. Her eyes were no longer fixed on the stage. They were turned toward me. And what different eyes they were from those I thought she would possess. They were soft and veiled by lashes very little darker than her hair, which could scarcely be termed golden, it was so fair. How could I have believed her to be a brunette? She must have been seated in the shade when I first saw her and had since emerged into the light. She had moved her fan, and in its place lay a bouquet of mauve and white primulas. A small bunch of the same flowers were pinned into her simple high white dress at the throat and another showed among the loosely coiled tresses of her fair hair.

"It cannot be the same woman," I said to myself, "and yet my eyes were not closed for more than a minute or two, I am certain. There could not have been time—and—yet"— The irritating accompaniment to the "recitative," the perfume of my chaperon hostess' bouquet, the effort to explain the mystery, the unusualness of the scene, and the exhausted state of the air, all combined to produce an overpowering effect on my brain. I closed my eyes again and was very nearly asleep—not quite, I am certain—when a touch from Mrs. Waldo's fan and the sound of a light, unfamiliar laugh recalled me to myself and to a consciousness of my duty.

The first act had come to an end, and a gentleman had just entered our box to pay his respects to my chaperon, who forthwith introduced us, "Mr. Venning, Miss Linthrop." I bowed and felt very sheepish. I had literally been caught napping. Mrs. Waldo's explanation was not soothing:

"Miss Linthrop is unaccustomed to late hours, Mr. Venning. This is her first season, and her very first opera. I wish for her sake that it had been a more amusing one. Valezzi has clearly mistaken his vocation. He must never attempt another opera, must he? This one is deplorably dull."

"It is, as far as we have gone. But still one's first opera is always—one's first opera, and one is too well amused to be hypercritical. I'm sure Miss Linthrop wasn't bored, although she might have been a little sleepy?"

"I was not at all bored," I replied, and then going straight to the point, as has ever been my wont, I continued: "Who are the people—the lady and gentleman in the opposite box—the lady with"— "With the primulas," I was going to say. But, lo! they had vanished, and so had she, and in her place sat the tall dark woman in the pink brocade cloak with the diamonds in her hair.

"The lady with the magnificent cloak?" said Mr. Venning interrogatively. "That is Baroness Kurz, and that is her husband with her—or rather he was with her a moment ago; but, as you see, he has just left the box."

"Who is Baron Kurz?" asked Mrs. Waldo. "I am perpetually hearing of him. German, of course?"

"Only partly so," replied Mr. Venning. "He is the son of a Scotchman, who made a good deal of money in California, and I believe his mother was a Pole. He was brought up by a German grandfather, whose name he eventually took. He is a clever fellow, but an unhappy one, I always fancy. She was a Miss Charcote, a daughter of Lady Jane Charcote."

"But who was the other lady in the box"—I inquired eagerly—"the lady with the primulas?"

"There was no other lady in Kurz's box tonight, Miss Linthrop. You must have been looking at some other box."

Mrs. Waldo laughed. "My young friend has been dreaming, Mr. Venning."

I scorned the imputation, but they would not believe me, and they were still laughing when the door opened and old Lord Saintsbury peeped in.

"Very merry here."

"My friend Miss Linthrop declares that she has seen a lady with primulas in her hair—such a terrible decoration—seated in Baron Kurz's box this evening," said Mrs. Waldo in her loud, clear, penetrating voice, that carried farther than any voice I have ever heard.

I noticed a shade flit across Lord Saintsbury's face. He turned his head sharply and glanced back. Then, stepping quickly into the box, he shut the door behind him.

"Why so mysterious?" asked Mrs. Waldo, smiling.

"Kurz was just behind me. He must have heard what you said." And the old gentleman looked genuinely distressed.

"But why not? We were only laughing at my young friend here. Are you going, Mr. Venning?"

I began to be afraid that I had made a goose of myself. And Lord Saintsbury was looking so solemn. Perhaps that was because he was in the ministry.

"Mrs. Waldo," he began, as soon as Mr. Venning had disappeared, "don't repeat that little story about—the—the lady with the primulas. It"—

"My dear Lord Saintsbury, why mayn't I? I love a little anecdote, and this is such a thrilling one."

"But you would not like to cause pain, I am sure."

"And you think Miss Linthrop so very thin skinned that she cannot take a little chaff?"

"It is not on her account that I am speaking. You may or may not have heard that Miss Charcote was not Kurz's first wife. No? Well, she was not. His first wife was a girl of the people—some said a nursemaid, some a peasant. It really doesn't signify which. At all events, she was neither a lady by birth nor a person of education. After a time he grew tired of her. His father died, and he came into money. He began to go in for society. He met Miss Charcote. One night—it was at the Grand Opera in Paris—she was seated for some time in Lady Jane Charcote's box. His wife was alone in the loge opposite. What she saw or thought I don't know, but when he returned to her she complained of feeling very tired, and he suggested that they should go home. She fainted on the staircase and was carried into their brougham. That same night she died. It was very sudden and rather mysterious."

"Good gracious! Did any one suspect the baron of having poisoned his wife?"

"Not that I know of. But they did say that his neglect had broken her heart. But to come to the point of my story. The first baroness Kurz—Rosine—was a fair, blue eyed woman, with a passion for primulas. In Paris, where she had no acquaintances and was only known by sight, and by many people was not supposed to be Kurz's wife, she always went by the name of 'the lady with the primulas.' That is why I was startled and upset by what you told me. That was why I was distressed that the flower should have been mentioned in Kurz's hearing—for hear I am sure he did."

It was my turn to feel distressed—distressed, but at the same time vividly interested. I was just going to ask Lord Saintsbury whether he had ever known Rosine personally, when Mr. Venning reappeared, and at the same moment I noticed that while we had been discussing the first Baroness Kurz her successor had disappeared from the opposite box—had left the house probably, I thought, bored by the dullness of act 1.

"Such an awful thing has happened!" Mr. Venning's face was pale, and his voice sounded low and hoarse. "Kurz has fallen down dead, just outside the omnibus box."

"Good gracious, how dreadful! But very likely he has only fainted."

Mr. Venning shook his head. "Cleveland met him looking ghastly—you know he does sometimes. And he asked him, 'Are you ill, Kurz?' And the other just stared at him and muttered: 'True, true! She has come for me,' and fell back dead."

I started to my feet. "Mrs. Waldo, I must go home. Please let me. Don't you come, but"—

"My dear child," and her voice sounded a shade harder and louder than usual, "don't make a scene, please." Our visitors had vanished at the bare mention of such a possibility, ever dreaded and held in abhorrence by the sterner sex.

"But I cannot stay. Didn't you hear? He is dead."

Mrs. Waldo stared at me with a look of derision on her handsome stony face. "But you did not know him. It is not customary for young ladies to make scenes over the death of a man they never knew. Such things are not done."

"Ah, but you don't understand. I saw her."

"Her? Whom?"

"The lady with the primulas—his first wife. She came to fetch him. He said so—you heard."

"My dear child, what nonsense! You were dreaming, of course. Hush! We must not talk any more now. We must listen."

And the curtain rose upon act 2.—St. James Budget.

THE OLD MAN.

Its Significance as Applied to the Head of the Business House.

Were I the head of a large concern or the responsible executive officer of a great corporation, whether my age were 27 or 72, I should want all of my employees or subordinates to call me "The Old Man." Not, of course, to my face or when they were addressing me, but among themselves or when they spoke of me to their friends.

"His Majesty," "His Royal Highness," "His Excellency" and the like all indicate that the persons to whom they are applied possess power, but in this commercially democratic age and country the one appellation of undisputed autocracy is "The Old Man."

Applied to the head of a concern it frequently indicates love, generally respect and always complete submission to authority. It is as free from any suggestion of age as is "reverend." It is never given when there is a question of authority or a smoldering rebellion against it.

When "The Old Man" says a thing, that settles it; there are no questions to be asked; there is no comment to be made. When "The Old Man" does something, or fails to do something, there is no criticism to be indulged in.

"The Old Man" is the one person about the establishment who is absolutely his own master, whose coming in and going out are unhampered, whose encouraging word carries real weight, and whose reprimand indicates real danger, to whom "sir" is a right and not a courtesy.

Long live "The Old Man!" And when, through his half closed private office door, he hears the boys term him thus kindly, let him congratulate himself that loyalty is in his service and that he has attained the acme of dignity.—Truth.

The Greatest of Rivers.

The Amazon is the king of streams. From first to last it receives over 1,200 tributaries, of which more than 100 are large sized rivers and rise so far apart and have their floods and ebbs at such different seasons that the Amazon is at about the same height the year around. At some points on its lower course one bank is invisible from the other. The beholder seems to be looking on a great yellow sea of fresh water. When discovered, some tribes of Indians on the lower portion knew nothing of the existence of the opposite shore and did not believe that it existed, saying that "the great river flowed all around the world." Its mouth, including that of the Para, is 180 miles in width, and it is navigable for large sized ocean steamers for 1,000 miles from the sea, and so vast is the flood that the ocean is tinged yellow for 400 miles from the coast of Brazil.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

CALIFORNIA FORESTS.

Not Likely Ever to Give Out, Because They Are Reproductive.

The native forests of California are marked by two peculiarities wherein they differ widely from those of most other countries, and in which peculiarities the inhabitants of this state are assured against the occurrence of anything like a timber dearth hereafter. In the first place, more than three-fourths of our heavily timbered lands consist of mountains too elevated and rugged to ever be worth much for agriculture or grazing; wherefore, if stripped of their forests, the latter will be permitted to grow up again. In the second place, when in this state the original forests are cut away, they reproduce themselves with such certainty and rapidity that in the course of a single generation the young trees attain a size sufficiently large to render them of economic use, this being rarely the case elsewhere.

That portion of the Sierra Nevada and the northern coast range that, for the reason stated, may be regarded as a perpetual timber reserve, covers a belt fully 400 miles long by 75 broad, an area equal to 30,000 square miles. This may be considered a domain dedicated to the use of the future. Both here and in the redwood forests, covering at the least 2,500,000 acres, the first growth being cut away, the young trees spring up and grow with such astonishing rapidity that, if properly protected, the timber supply can be kept nearly up to its present mark, despite the heavy drafts made on it meantime.

While only a small proportion of these redwood forests occur on the mountains proper, the country they occupy is for the most part so broken and uneven, being traversed by numerous ravines and canyons, that not much of it will ever be cleared and kept so for the use of the farmer, the stock man or the fruit grower, though the soil is nearly everywhere rich. Even where the land is comparatively level, the trees having been cut down, it costs a great deal to remove the stumps, so enormous and deep rooted are these. For breaking them up and hoisting their fragments out of the ground recourse to dynamite is frequently had, this with sometimes the aid of the stump machine, and always the use of fire, being the agencies resorted to for dispossessing these troublesome tenants of the land. Left to itself, the redwood stump at once begins to send up shoots around its entire periphery, these growing up and in process of time showing as many trees standing in a circle as can manage to live and reach maturity.

In this tendency to reproduction no other tree equals the redwood, its vitality as manifested in this respect being sometimes astonishing. If only man will second its efforts in this direction to the extent of guarding the young trees for a few years until they can get a fair start, they will afterward be able to take care of themselves, no ordinary fire sufficing to destroy them after this. As for the full grown trees, these are apt to suffer no material injury, except in case of a great conflagration, as where a fire, having been started in the dry season, happens to be fanned by a strong wind.—Wood and Iron.

The Old Leather Bottle.

My father possessed an old leather bottle shaped like a cask, the purpose of which was to carry beer to the laborers in the fields. We had several of these in wood, varying in size from a quart to a gallon, but only one (a very old one) in leather. It was of course possible to drink out of them, but the usual and fairer way was to use "tots." There is at Haxey, near here, a very curious ancient leather bottle, which was found, I believe, during some recent partial restoration of the church and is now in the possession of the vicar. I have not seen it, but it has been described to me as something like a tea urn in shape, with two handles, and large enough to contain from a gallon to a gallon and a half of liquid. It is believed to have been used for storing the wine for the communion, and I have been told that formerly, when wine was scarce, the custom was to send the bottle abroad to be replenished whenever a fresh supply was needed.—Notes and Queries.

A Literary Celebration.

Sir John Herschel tells an amusing anecdote illustrating the pleasure derived from a book not assuredly of the first order. In a certain village the blacksmith had got hold of a mediocre novel and used to sit on his anvil in the long summer evenings and read it aloud to a large and attentive audience. It is by no means a short book, but those present listened to it all. At length, when the happy turn of fortune arrived which brings the hero and heroine together and sets them living long and happily together, according to the most approved rules, the listeners were so delighted as to raise a great shout, and procuring the church keys actually rang the bells of the village church.

A Competent Witness.

A little girl was in the witness box, and, as usual, before she was allowed to be sworn, she was examined by the presiding judge, Mr. Judge Maule, as to her understanding the nature of an oath and her belief in a future state.

"Do you know what an oath is, my child?" asked the judge.

"Yes, sir; I am obliged to tell the truth."

"If you always tell the truth, where will you go when you die?"

"Up to heaven, sir?"

"And what will become of you if you tell lies?"

"I shall go to the naughty place, sir."

"Are you quite sure of that?"

"Yes, sir; quite sure."

"Let her be sworn," said Maule. "It is quite clear she knows a great deal more than I do."—Pittsburg Dispatch.

Canaries.

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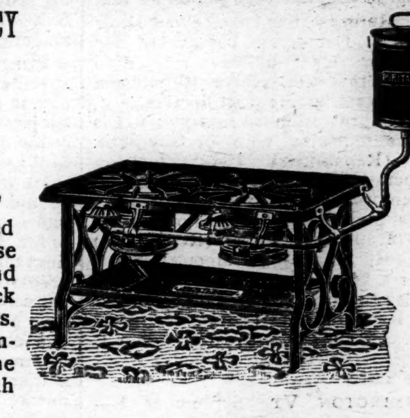

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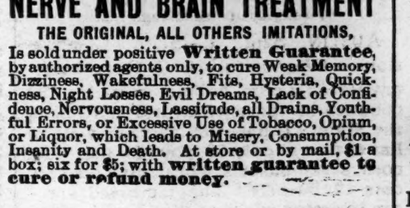

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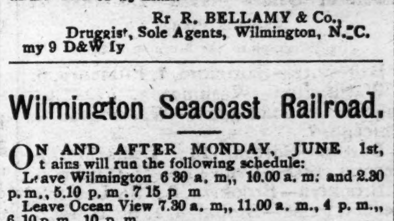

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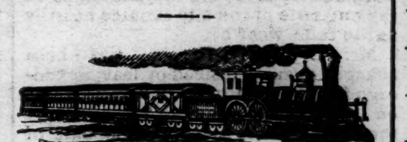

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DEPARTURE FROM WILMINGTON—NORTHBOUND.

DAILY 9.25 A M — No. 48—Passenger—Due Magnolia 10.52 a m, Warsaw 11.06 a m, Goldsboro 12.01 a m, Wilson 12.52 p m, Rocky Mount 1.35 p m, Tarboro 2.40 p m, Weldon 3.32 p m, Petersburg 5.29 p m, Richmond 6.40 p m, Norfolk 6.05 p m, Washington 11.10 p m, Baltimore 12.53 a m, Philadelphia 3.45 a m, New York 6.53 a m, †Boston 3.30 p m.

DAILY 7.00 P M — No. 40—Passenger—Due Magnolia 8.30 p m, Warsaw 8.43 p m, Goldsboro 9.36 p m, Wilson 10.23 p m, †Tarboro 7.03 a m, Rocky Mount 11.05 p m, Weldon 1.01 a m, †Norfolk 10.40 a m, Petersburg 3.38 a m, Richmond 3.40 a m, Washington 7.00 a m, Baltimore 8.23 a m, Philadelphia 10.46 a m, New York 1.23 p m, Boston 8.30 p m.

SOUTHBOUND:

DAILY 3.30 P M — No. 55—Passenger—Due Lake Waccamaw 4.45 p m, Chadbourn 5.19 p m, Marion 6.29 p m, Florence 7.10 p m, Sumter 8.53 p m, Columbia 10.15 p m, Denmark 6.20 a m, Augusta 8.00 a m, Macon 11.00 a m, Atlanta 12.15 p m, Charleston 10.53 p m, Savannah 12.50 a m, Jacksonville 7.00 a m, St. Augustine 9.10 a m, Tampa 6.09 p m.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY 5.45 P M — No. 49—Passenger—Leave *Boston 1.00 p m, New York 9.00 p m, Philadelphia 12.05 a m, Baltimore 2.55 a m, Washington 4.30 a m, Richmond 9.05 a m, Petersburg 10.00 a m, Norfolk 8.40 a m, Weldon 11.55 a m, Tarboro 12.12 p m, Rocky Mount 12.45 p m, Wilson 2.10 p m, Goldsboro 3.10 p m, Warsaw 4.02 p m, Magnolia 4.16 p m.

DAILY 9.45 a m — No. 41—Passenger—Leave Boston 12.03 a m, New York 9.30 a m, Philadelphia 12.09 p m, Baltimore 2.25 p m, Washington 3.46 p m, Richmond 7.30 p m, Petersburg 8.12 p m, †Norfolk 2.20 p m, Weldon 9.44 p m, †Tarboro 5.58 p m, Rocky Mount 5.45 a m, leave Wilson 6.20 a m, Goldsboro 7.05 a m, Warsaw 7.57 a m, Magnolia 8.10 a m.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY 12.15 a m — No. 54—Passenger—Leave Tampa 7.00 a m, Sanford 1.55 p m, Jacksonville 7.00 p m, Savannah 12.10 night, Charleston 4.55 a m, Columbia 5.45 a m, Atlanta 7.15 a m, Macon 9.00 a m, Augusta 2.25 p m, Denmark 4.17 p m, Sumter 7.10 a m, Florence 8.50 a m, Marion 9.31 a m, Chadbourn 10.35 a m, Lake Waccamaw 11.16 a m.

†Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 3.55 p m, Halifax 4.13 p m, arrive Scotland Neck 5.05 p m, Greenville 6.47 p m, Kinston 7 45 p m. Returning, leaves Kinston 7 20 a m, Greenville 8.22 a m, Arriving Halifax at 11 00 a m, Weldon 11.20 a m, daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8.00 a m and 2 00 p m, arrive Parmele 8.50 a m and 3 40 p m; returning leaves Parmele 9 50 a m and 6 20 p m, arrives Washington 11 25 a m and 7.10 p. m. Daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily at 5.30 p m, arrives Plymouth 7.35 p m. Returning, leaves Plymouth daily at 7.40 a m., Arrive Tarboro 9.45 a m.

Train on Midland N C Branch leaves Goldsboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 6 00 a m; arrive Smithfield, N. C., 7.2 a m. Returning, leaves Smithfield 7 50 a m, arrive Goldsboro, N. C., 9 15 a m.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 4.30 p m, arrives Nashville 5.05 p m, Spring Hope 5.30 p m. Returning leaves Spring Hope 8 a m, Nashville 8 35 a m; arrive Rocky Mount 9 05 a m, daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leave Warsaw for Clinton Daily except Sunday at 8 20 a m and 4.10 p m; returning leave Clinton at 7.00 a m. and 11 30 a m.

Florence Railroad leave Pee Dee 9 05 a m, arrive Latta 9.24 a m, Dillon 9 36 a m, Rowland 9 52 a m., returning leaves Rowland 6 06 p m, arrives Dillon 6.25 p m, Latta 6.37 p m, Pee Dee 6.58 p m, daily.

Trains on Conway Branch leave Hub at 8.30 a m, Chadbourn 10.40 a m, arrive Conway 12.55 p m, leave Conway 2 30 p m, Chadbourn 5.35 p m, arrive Hub 6.20 p m, Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Cheraw and Darlington Railroad leave Florence 8 40 a m and 9 20 a m, arrive Darlington 9 20 and 9 50 a m, leave Darlington 9 40 a m, arrive Cheraw 11 59 a m, Wadesboro 1 30 p m, Cheraw 3 40 p m, Returning leave Wadesboro 2 p m, Cheraw 3 40 p m, Darlington 7.48 a m and 6 05 p m, arrive Florence 8.15 a m and 6 50 p m. Daily except Sunday. Sunday trains leave Floys 7 30 a m, Darlington 7 45 a m, arrive Florence 8 10 a m. Returning leave Florence 9 a m, Darlington 9 3 a m, arrive Floys 9 50 a m. Trains leave Gibson 6 15 a m, Bennettsville 6 41 a m, arrive Darlington 7.40 a m, Sumter 9 30 a m. Returning, leave Sumter 6 30 p m Darlington 8.15 p m, arrive Bennettsville 9 09 p m, Gibson 9 35 p m.

Central of South Carolina Railroad leave Sumter 6 06 p m, Manning 6.35 p m, arrive Lane's 7 12 p m, leave Lanes 8.34 a m, Manning 9.10 a m. arrive Sumter 9.39 a m. Daily.

Georgetown and Western Railroad leave Lanes 9.30 a m, 7.10 p m, arrive Georgetown 12 m, 8.30 p m, leave Georgetown 7 a m, 3 p m. arrive Lanes 8.25 a m, 5.25 p m. Daily except Sunday.

Wilson and Fayetteville Branch leave Wilson 2.10 p m, 11.18 p m, arrive Selma 2.53 p m, Smithfield 3.08 p m, Dunn 3.50 p m, Fayetteville 4.36 p m, 1.07 a m, Rowland 6.06 p m, returning leave Rowland 9.52 a m, Fayetteville 11.10 a m, 9.40 p m, Dunn 11.49 a m, Smithfield 12.27 p m, Selma 12.34 p m, arrive Wilson 1.20 p m, 11.35 p m.

Manchester & Augusta Railroad train leaves Sumter 4 33 a m, Creston 5 2 a m, arrive Denmark 6 20 a m. Returning leave Denmark 4 17 p m, Creston 5 16 p m, Sumter 6 05 p m Daily.

Pregnalls Branch train leaves Creston 5 45 a m, arrive Pregnalls 9 15 p m. Returning leaves Pregnalls 10 p m, arrives Creston 3 50 p m. Daily except Sunday.

Bishopville Branch trains leave Elliott 11.10 a m and 7.15 p m, arrive Lucknow 1 p m and 8.15 p m, Returning leave Lucknow 6 05 a m and 2 00 p m, arrive Elliott 8.25 a m and 3 30 p m.

†Daily except Sunday. *Sunday only.

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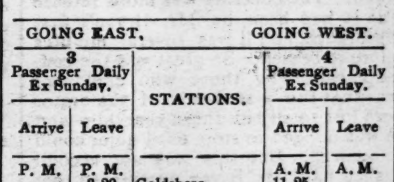
Atlantic & North Carolina Railroad

Time Table.



In Effect Wednesday, May 27th, 1896.

GOING EAST. 3 Passenger Daily Ex Sunday. Arrive	Leave	STATIONS.	GOING WEST. 4 Passenger Daily Ex Sunday. Arrive	Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
....	3 20	Goldsboro	11 25	....
....	4 12	Kinston	10 32	....
5 15	5 25	Newbern	9 17	9 30
6 37	6 42	Morehead City	8 03	8 07
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11 35 a m, and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 p. m., and with W. N. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train, arriving at Goldsboro 3.00 p. m., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.05 p. m. No. 1 train also connects with W. N. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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IN EFFECT AUGUST 23, 1896.

SOUTH BOUND DAILY No. 1.	MAIN LINE.	NORTH BOUND DAILY No. 2.
7 55 p. m.	Ar... Wilmington... Lve	7 35 a.
4 45 "	Lv... Fayetteville... Ar	10 45 a m
4 33 "	Ar .. Fayetteville... Lv	11 05 "
4 30 "	Ar Fayetteville Junc Lv	11 15 "
3 19 "	Lv.... Sanford..... Lv	12 40 p. m
1 32 a m	Lv.... Climax..... Lv	2 40 "
1 03 "	Lv.... Greensboro... Ar	3 08 "
12 58 "	Ar.... Greensboro... Lv	3 15 "
12 13 a m	Lv.... Stokesdale... Lv	4 02 "
11 45 "	Lv... Walnut Cove... Ar	4 32 "
11 37 "	Ar.. Walnut Cove... Lv	4 38 "
11 09 "	Lv.... Rural Hall... Lv	5 12 "
9 45 "	Lv..... Mt Airy..... Ar	6 35 "

SOUTH BOUND DAILY No. 3.	Bennettsville Division.	NORTH BOUND DAILY No. 4.
7 15 p m	Ar... Bennettsville... Lv	8 45 a. m.
6 15 "	Lv...... Maxton.... Ar	9 45 "
5 42 "	Lv.... Red Springs... Lv	10 15 "
5 00 "	Lv.... Hope Mills... Lv	10 53 "
4 43 "	Lv.... Fayetteville... Ar	11 10

SOUTH BOUND Daily except Sunday. No. 15. MIXED.	Factory and Madison Branches.	NORTH BOUND Daily except Sunday. No. 16. MIXED.
5 50 p m	Ar..... Ramseur.... Lv	6 45 a.
4 05 "	Lv..... Climax..... Lv	8 35 "
3 10 "	Lv.... Greensboro... Ar	9 20 "

NORTH BOUND.	No. 16 MIXED. daily ex su
Leave Greensboro	9 35 a. m
Leave Stokesdale	10 50 "
Arrive Madison	11 50 "

SOUTH BOUND.	No. 15. MIXED. daily ex su
Leave Madison	12 25 p m
Leave Stokesdale	1 28 "
Arrive Greensboro	2 35 "

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APRIL 5th, 1896.		No. 41		No. 403
Leave Wilmington	S. A. L.	P. M. *3 20		A. M.
Arrive Maxton	"	6 12		
Arrive Hamlet	"	6 55		
Leave Hamlet	"	7 15		*9 10
Arrive Wadesboro	"	8 01		9 52
Arrive Monroe	"	8 55		10 40
Leave Monroe	"	9 10		10 45
Arrive Charlotte	"	10 20		11 35
Arrive Lincolnton	"			P. M. 12 55
Arrive Shelby	"			1 50
Arrive Rutherfordton	"			3 00
Leave Hamlet	S. A. L.	A. M. †9 25		
Arrive Osborne	"	9 50		
" Kollock	"	10 25		
" Cheraw	"	10 4		
Leave Cheraw	S. A. L.			P. M. †5 30
" Kollock	"			5 50
" Osborne	"			6 25
Arrive Hamlet	"			6 50
Leave Wilmington	S. A. L.	P. M. *3 20		
" Monroe	"	9 05		A. M. *10 45
Arrive Chester	"	10 32		12 03
" Clinton	"	11 58		P. M. 1 20
" Greenwood	"	A. M. 1 00		2 33
" Abbeville	"	1 32		2 58
" Elberton	"	2 36		4 00
" Athens	"	3 38		5 1
" Atlanta	"	5 2		6 45
Leave Atlanta	A. & W. P.	5 35		
Ar Montgomery	West of Ala.	10 45		
Arrive Mobile	L. & N.	P. M. 4 10		
" New Orleans		*8 30		
Arrive Columbia	C. N. & L.	A. M. *10 00		P. M. *4 30
Arrive Augusta	P. R. & W. C.	†9 35		P. M. *5 05
Arrive Macon	M. & N.			P. M. *6 40

EAST AND NORTH.

APRIL 5th, 1896.		No 38	No 402
Leave Wilmington	S. A. L		P. M. *3 20
Arrive Hamlet	"	A. M.	6 55
Leave Hamlet	"	*8 15	10 35
Arrive Southern Pines	"	9 15	11 21
" Raleigh	"	11 26	A. M. 1 21
" Henderson	"	P. M. 1 0	2 33
" Weldon	"	*3 00	*4 05
Arrive Portsmouth	S. A. L	P. M. *5 50	A. M. *7 30
" Norfolk	"	6 00	7 50
Arrive Richmond	A. C. L	P. M. *6 40	A. M. *6 40
" Washington	P. R. R.	11 10	10 45
" Baltimore	"	A. M. 12 48	P. M. 12 05
" Philadelphia	"	3 45	2 20
" New York	"	*6 53	*4 53

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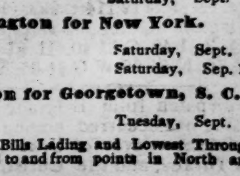

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WEDNESDAY MORNING SEPT. 2, 1896

GOLD BUG DEMOCRATS

Gathering at Indianapolis—Talk of Nominating Mr. Cleveland—But it is Asserted He will Not Accept the Nomination Under Any Conditions.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

INDIANAPOLIS, September 1.—Chairman Bynum, of the "National" Democratic Committee, says there are no contests reported from any of the States and that the temporary roll, as made up by the National Committee, will undoubtedly be made permanent.

The various delegations were asked to meet this morning and select their men, but no meetings were held. Hardly half the delegates are here as yet, and there will likely be delay on the assembling of the convention to-morrow to give the various States an opportunity to appoint members of the usual committees.

The Florida delegation evoked the first demonstration made on the streets. They came in on the Big Four road at 11 30 from Louisville, and occupied a coach on the side of which was a streamer, running its full length, inscribed: "Florida's Sound Money Democracy." At their head, following the band, was the banner constructed here by their order, with a picture of President Grover Cleveland surrounded by the words, "Our Candidate for President."

Following the Florida delegation came the Louisiana delegation in a special car over the Big Four Line, from Cincinnati, headed by Senator Caffery. Their car carried a streamer similar to that on the car of the Florida delegation.

Several Tennessee delegates came in with the Florida delegation. One of them, Mr. Theodore Cooley, of Nashville, said: "People down our way think Bragg and Buckner the logical candidates of the convention. There is, however, a strong sentiment for Grover Cleveland. Without question he would add several hundred thousand votes to the ticket in the South that would otherwise go to Bryan. If the convention should fail to unite on another man I would not be surprised to see Cleveland named almost unanimously."

When it was suggested that Cleveland had intimated that he would not accept the nomination, Mr. Cooley said: "We would draft him and I don't think he would then reject it."

It is asserted positively to-night by a personal friend of President Cleveland that he would not accept the nomination under any circumstances and should his name be presented he will probably be heard from. It is intimated that a prominent member of the New York delegation has a letter to read should the occasion arise. It is not to be presumed however, that Mr. Cleveland is lacking in interest in the work of the convention. The gentleman above referred to stated that while he was not authorized to speak for Mr. Cleveland he would venture the prediction that if the proper kind of a platform should be adopted, the President would probably make known his approval.

THE PUBLIC DEBT.

Treasury Statement—Condition of the Gold Reserve.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 1.—The Treasury official statement shows that for August the deficit was $10,139,580, and for the fiscal year to date $23,108,739. The receipts for August were $25 563,096, or $3,000,000 less than for August, 1895. The expenditures for August were $35,701,676, or $3,000,000 more than for August, 1895.

The Treasury gold reserve at the close of business to-day stood at $103,779,573. The day's withdrawals at New York were $65 000.

The debt statement issued this afternoon shows a net increase in the public debt, less cash in the Treasury, during August, of $12,842,683. The interest bearing debt increased $10. The non-interest bearing debt decrease $469,398, and cash in the Treasury decreased $12,812,071. The balances of the several classes of debt at the close of business August 31st were interest bearing debt, $847,344,260; debt on which interest has ceased since maturity, $1,622,960; debt bearing no interest, $372,856,376; total, $1,221,843,596. The certificates and Treasury notes offset by an equal amount of cash in the Treasury outstanding at the end of the month were $563,656,973. An increase of $140,000.

The total cash in the Treasury was $849,388,746. The gold reserve was $100 000,000. Net balance, $143,346,400. In the month there was a decrease in gold coin and bars of $11,481,942, the total at the close being $139,825,200. Of silver there was an increase of $1,477,862. Of the surplus there was in National bank depositories, $16,619,914, against $20,952,972 at the end of the preceding year.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Strong Opposition to Report Recommending That Suicides be Debarred Death Benefits.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CLEVELAND, Sept. 1.—The morning session of the Supreme Lodge, Knights of Pythias, was the warmest of the convention. The report of the Board of Control, Uniform Rank, recommending that suicides be debarred from all death benefits, if death occurs within a period of five years after joining the order, aroused strong opposition. A compromise was effected whereby the heirs of a suicide will be settled with by a gradation system of life expectation, as used by the American Board of Underwriters. Thus, if a man enters the order thus classed with twenty years expectation of life, he will receive one-fourth of the benefit if he commits suicide when he has been five years in the order.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, September 1.—Spirits turpentine quiet and steady at 24@24½c. Rosin steady; strained common to good $1 57½@1 60.

CHARLESTON, September 1.—Spirits turpentine firm at 21½c; sales — casks. Rosin quoted firm; sales — barrels; prices: B, C, $1 25, D, E $1 30, F $1 30, G $1 35, H $1 40, I $1 45, K $1 50, M $1 55, N $1 60, W G $1 70, W W $1 80.

SAVANNAH, September 1.—Spirits turpentine firm at 22½c; sales of 1,800 casks; receipts 12,114 casks. Rosin firm and factors holding; no sales; A, B, C D, E $1 35, F $1 40, G $1 40, H $1 45, I $1 50, M $1 60, N $1 70, W G $1 85, W W $2 00.

A dispatch from Belgrade says: An uprising has occurred among the Moslems of the vilayet of Uskub, in European Turkey, and the Christians in the vilayet are being massacred and their houses are being pillaged by the mob.

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Fifty Thousand Assemble to Hear His Speech at Columbus—The Largest Political Meeting Ever Held at the Capital—Speeches Made at Crestline and Other Places.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CRESTLINE, OHIO, Sept. 1.—The two special cars provided for Mr. and Mrs. Bryan and the Columbus contingent were not sufficient to accommodate the committeemen and others who made the trip and it was found necessary during the long delay in the station at Cleveland to add another car.

Before the train had finally cleared the yards, a crowd of railroad men, most of them in greasy overalls, gathered around the car and Mr. Bryan came out to greet them. One of them referring to alleged pressure on workingmen to vote the Republican ticket, yelled out: "They may drive a horse to the water, but they cannot make him drink." The application of the proverb was caught up, and was loudly cheered. The many workmen from the big railroad shops on the outskirts of the city shouted heartily as the train went by.

Mr. Bryan's itinerary has been changed again. Instead of leaving Chicago September 4th, he will speak there on Labor Day, September 7th, and leave the same day for Lincoln. The date of his arrival in Chicago is uncertain.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, September 1.—Mr. and Mrs. Bryan, and the members of the Columbus reception committee, took dinner at Crestline, one of the places where Mr. Bryan made a speech on his journey from Lincoln to New York last month. Twenty minutes were spent there, and when the candidate returned to his car he was followed by several hundred curious people who gave a cheer as the train drew out.

Considerable enthusiasm was shown at Galeon, where about 1,500 people assembled when the train stopped long enough to allow Mr. and Mrs. Bryan to show themselves to the people and for Mr. Bryan to be introduced as "the hero of our generation, Bryan, of Nebraska." In response to calls for a speech, he said:

"Out of consideration for the condition of my voice they agreed to let me off with one word, and I have been trying to think of some one word that will express all that I want to express; and I think I have it. It is 'fight.' [Cheers and laughter.] I believe that the masses of the people are interested in the policies set forth in our platform, and that the only way for them to secure these policies is to vote for them, to fight for them. If we fight we will win. If we are not willing to fight we do not deserve to win. I thank you." [Cheers and efforts to shake hands with husband and wife.]

Enthusiasm and a brass band were much in evidence at Delaware. The largest crowd along the route was gathered there and the cheering was led by members of the local silver clubs. More than a thousand people were in the throng that fought for places near the rear platform, on which the candidate stood, and made frantic efforts to shake his hands. There was no time for a speech, but as the train moved on there were hearty cheers given for the Democratic candidate. An amusing incident was furnished by a man who succeeded in getting a moment's interview with the candidate. "I am a Republican," he said, "but I am going to vote for you, Mr. Bryan. I have a son christened after Major McKinley, but that was six years ago, when McKinley believed in silver."

COLUMBUS, O., September 1.—In all his career, wonderful as it has been, filled during the past week with remarkable demonstrations in his honor, William Jennings Bryan never addressed an audience so large and so enthusiastic as that which gathered in the State House grounds to-night. People who have witnessed the inaugurations of Ohio's Governors in recent years say that the crowds on those occasions never numbered more than 30,000. But to-night everybody was saying that the inaugural assemblages did not compare in point of numbers with the magnificent congregation that came to hear the young Democratic candidate on the issues of the campaign. Mr. Bryan was obliged to divide his speech into four segments, one delivered from each side of the canopied stand that had been erected for the occasion. Fifty thousand is a conservative estimate of those who were present, among them being 2,000 miners who came from the Hocking valley. The railroad companies gave unusually low rates, and thousands of people took advantage of them.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan reached Columbus over the Big Four at 3.30 this afternoon in a special car chartered by the members of the Columbus reception committee, who accompanied them from Cleveland. The candidate was cheered by thousands at the station and by a thousand or more through the streets which he was escorted.

There was a tremendous jam at the Chittenden Hotel, which had been secured for Mr. Bryan and his wife, but a way was forced through the wildly excited enthusiasts gathered there.

Prior to to-night's great demonstration in front of the State House, there was another parade in which, of course, Mr. Bryan was the central figure, seated in a carriage drawn by four white horses.

The stand was spacious and accommodated a number of prominent Democrats and their wives and a brass band. Nearly every person in that stupendous audience, packed over ten acres of ground, could see the Democratic candidate as he mounted the steps of the rostrum and stood before them, and then cheering began.

"Bryan, Bryan, Bryan," was the cry, and the cheering rose in volume until it reached the limit of enthusiastic potency. James Ross, chairman of the Franklin county Democratic committee, attempted to call the assemblage to order in his capacity as temporary chairman, but the buzz of voices was so great in volume that it drowned his words and nobody knew what he was saying until Allen W. Thurman, the son of "The Old Roman," stepped forward and acknowledged his introduction by Mr. Rose. Mr. Thurman did not lose words. He knew what the people wanted, and in a few seconds presented Mr. Bryan. The cheering was more intense than it had been on Mr. Bryan's first appearance, and it was several minutes before it ceased. So great was the confusion caused by those who could not hear that the first words of the orator were lost to all but those near him and he was obliged to stop until quiet could be secured. But this was not accomplished until Mr. Bryan announced that he would speak upon all sides of the platform. The assembled thousands gave a shout of gratification at this and tried to keep as quiet as their enthusiasm would allow for the rest of the speech.

Mr. Bryan spoke as follows: Gentlemen and Ladies—"This is the largest audience to which I ever tried to speak. I have had occasions to speak where the audience filled the house, but I never had occasion to talk where the audience filled all out-doors [laughter.] If you all vote as you are now shouting, [voices, 'we will'] I do not see how there can be any question about the triumph of free silver in the State. [Cheers.] We have entered a campaign which means much to the American people. If our opponents speak truly, when they discover what will, in their judgment, be the effect of free coinage then the success of the Chicago ticket would surely be a calamity to the country. If, on the other hand, we speak the truth when we describe to you the effects of a gold standard, continued Mr. Bryan, then the maintenance of a gold standard until foreign nations come to our relief is an evil which cannot be contemplated by those who love their country. We have begun an unceasing warfare against the gold standard The Republican party, without declaring that the gold standard is a good thing, has declared that the gold standard must be maintained. I call your attention to the fact that no party in the history of this country has ever in a National Convention commended the gold standard. Its effects are so bad that no party has dared to uphold it."

At this point Mr. Bryan, who had been facing west as he spoke, now turned to the south front of the platform and addressed the people of that side, summarizing his previous remarks and amplifying them. He then went to the north of the platform and repeated the process, and again to the east side. After a short time he excused himself and returned to the side where he began, saying: "I do not know whether you have been able to hear what I have been saying on the other side [cries of 'no.'] Well, then, I will talk a while to you, and a while to these and a while to those over there, and then you can get together after I am gone and fasten the stories together. [Cheers and cries of continue; you are all right.]

Mr. Bryan went twice around the platform in the manner described before he concluded his speech, keeping his four audiences amused and interested throughout.

John J. Lenz, Democratic candidate for Congress, followed Mr. Bryan, and when he had concluded the candidate and his wife went to their hotel. They will leave for Toledo at 7.15 to-morrow morning.

VERMONT'S ELECTION.

The State Republican by an Increased Majority.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WHITE RIVER JUNCTION, VT., September 1.—This has been typical Republican weather for the State election, and a large vote has been polled by that party. Returns thus far received show that many Democrats have voted the Republican ticket or have refused to vote, and that the reserve Republican vote has been largely cast in this election. Returns from twenty-two towns give the following vote for Governor: Grout (Republican), 7,270; Jackson (Democrat) 1,622, Battell (Populist), 72; Whittemore (Prohibitionist), 104; Grout's plurality, 5 648, majority over all, 5,472. In 1892 Fuller (Republican) had 5,234; Smalley (Democrat), 2,514; all others, 242; Fuller's majority, 2,478. The result shows 121 per cent. increase in the Republican majority. If this increase is maintained in other towns it will equal the wildest estimates made for the State.

BENNINGTON, VT., September 1.—Bennington county complete gains a Republican majority on Governor of 779 over two years ago. A proportionate gain throughout the State will bring the majority to 35,000.

WHITE RIVER JUNCTION, VT., Sept. 1.—Returns from 75 towns give Grout, Republican, 17,908, Jackson, Democrat, 3,919; Battell, Populist, 214; Whittemore, Prohibitionist, 218. Grout's plurality, 13,989; majority over all, 13,547. The same towns in 1892 gave Fuller, Republican, 12,767; Smalley, Democrat, 5,576; all others, 611. Net gain in Republican majority, 7,147, showing that percentage gain is being maintained and if it continues the Republican majority will be about 37,000 in the State.

ALABAMA CONVENTION.

Democratic Nominations for Congressmen—A Deadlock in the First District.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

MONTGOMERY, September 1.—Congressional conventions were ordered by the Democratic State Committee to be held to-day in all the districts. As far as heard from, the following candidates have been nominated: Second District, Jesse Stallings, without opposition; Third District, Henry D. Clayton, no opposition; Sixth District, John H. Bankhead, on first ballot; Ninth District, Oscar Underwood, by acclamation.

The Fourth District Convention met last week and after over nine hundred ballots adjourned until the 11th inst.

The First Congressional Convention is deadlocked. There are four candidates, two sound money and two free silver. The sound money men have 28 votes and free silver 23. Adjourned until to-morrow.

BRYAN'S VISIT TO CHICAGO.

He Will Address Union Working Men on Labor Day.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHICAGO, September 1.—The troublesome question as to whether W. J. Bryan will remain in Chicago from September 4 to 7, and address the union working men on the latter day, which is Labor Day, according to a promise he made during the convention, was settled yesterday by the receipt of a telegram from the nominee, stating he would speak here Labor Day. Mr. Bryan will arrive September 4 and no arrangements have yet been made for speech making in or out of Chicago between that and Labor Day. The time will probably be spent at headquarters in conferences and in resting.

TEXAS CROPS.

The Average Yield of Lint Cotton Only Ninety Pounds Per Acre.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

AUSTIN, Sept. 1.—State Commissioner of Agriculture A. G. Ross yesterday issued a crop bulletin covering 120 counties in the agricultural portion of the State. It puts the average yield of lint cotton at only 90 pounds per acre; corn, seven bushels; wheat, nine bushels; oats, 17 bushels. The increased acreage in cotton is put at 15 per cent. The report says it is doubtful if Texas has experienced a more general and a more damaging drought in the past thirty years during the crop season.

BASE BALL.

Result of Games Played Yesterday at Various Places.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

Baltimore—Baltimore, 7; Pittsburg, 6.

Washington—Washington, 7; Chicago, 6. Second game—Washington, 2; Chicago, 7.

Boston—Boston, 10; Louisville, 5. Second game—Louisville, 7; Boston, 5.

Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 6; St. Louis, 3. Second game—Brooklyn, 1; St. Louis, 8.

Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 9; Cincinnati, 6.

New York—New York, 2; Cleveland, 1. Second game—New York, 3; Cleveland, 2.

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ARMENIANS MASSACRED

HUNDREDS KILLED IN THE RIOTING AT CONSTANTINOPLE.

Over a Thousand Slain in the Psamatra District—Brutal Butcheries.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

CONSTANTINOPLE, September 1.—The number of persons killed in Sunday's rioting at Hasskein is estimated at two hundred. The owners of the houses which were looted in that town are returning, and have succeeded in getting some of their lost goods restored to them. Much of the plunder were found in Jewish houses.

Over one thousand persons were massacred in the Psamatra district, three hundred Armenians having been drawn out of their houses and murdered by one Khan alone. The Kurdish porters in the Custom House killed their Armenian comrades during the late rioting, and horribly mutilated their bodies.

The foreign families residing here continue to hang from their windows the flags of their various nationalities. Baron de Calice, the Austrian ambassador, has had several interviews with the Sultan, who repeats his assurances that ample measures have been taken to ensure quiet. The Porte will have a large amount of indemnity to pay to foreigners whose houses and offices have been broken into and looted by the mobs. The success of the police in regaining control of the city and maintaining order has been rewarded by the payment of their arrears of wages.

RAILROAD RATE WAR.

Another Cut Made by the Seaboard Air Line.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, September 1.—The Seaboard Air Line to-day filed with the Inter-State Commerce Commission a new tariff of passenger rates, to go into effect Friday, September 4, making a lower rate in passenger fares than was in effect by the tariff previously filed, which as a result of Judge Simonton's order was withdrawn August 8. The new tariff makes the rate between Norfolk and Atlanta $8, against $9 under the tariff withdrawn, with a corresponding reduction to points north of Norfolk. The Seaboard has not yet filed amended freight tariffs.

PORTSMOUTH, VA., Sept. 1.—Vice President St. John of the S. A. L. today, in the course of an interview on the subject of Judge Simonton's recent decision dissolving the temporary injunction against the Seaboard Air Line, said there was no reason why the Seaboard should not return to rates in effect previous to the issuance of the restraining order. Referring to intimations that the Southern States Freight Association is preparing a tariff on the basis of a 50 per cent. reduction to Seaboard competitive points, ignoring the long and short haul clause of the Inter State Commerce Commission, the Commission, he said, will enforce in its own way a law which demands that no higher rates shall be made for a shorter than for a longer haul, and that the Seaboard would obey this feature of the law in tariffs to be issued, as in the past.

"The present disturbance in rates," said Mr. St. John, "results from the Southern's efforts to destroy our revenues and business, We shall defend our property and our rights from attack, from whatever source it may come, and we will continue to oppose to the millions of their bankers the sturdy, unwavering loyalty of the merchants, shippers, farmers, manufacturers, producers, and the good people of all the territory tributary to our line in whose interest the conflict is waged, as well as our own."

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

Another Decline in December Wheat and May Corn—January Pork and Ribs Unchanged—Lard Lower.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHICAGO, September 1.—This has been a bear day in wheat with emphasis. At the start there was possibly a half minute's steadiness and hesitation, but the popular desire was to sell and very little opposition to declining prices was encountered during the remainder of the session. December wheat opened from 59⅜ to 59⅝c, declined to 58¼c, closing at 58¼@58⅜c—½@¾c under yesterday. Cash wheat was weak and 1@1¼c per bushel lower.

Corn was in sympathy with wheat. May corn opened at 25¼@25¼c, sold at 25⅛c, declined to 24⅝c, closing at 24¾—¼c under yesterday. Cash corn was easy and ¼c lower.

Oats were not active but there was a steadier feeling in the market than in either corn or wheat. May oats closed ⅛c under yesterday. Cash oats were steady and unchanged in price.

Provisions—Trading in provisions was at quite firm quotations. The offerings were moderate and the demand about fair. A steady hog market was quoted, which was apparently the principal cause of strength. January pork and ribs closed unchanged and January lard a shade lower.

SPOTS AND FUTURES.

New York Sun's Review of the Cotton Market.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, September 1.—The *Sun* says: Cotton advanced forty-eighty to fifty points, closing very steady, after sales of 396,900 bales.

To-day's features: Prices shot upward like a rocket to-day and closed at about the top figures of the day. There was a reaction at one time and part of the improvement was lost, but the weakness was only temporary and prices again rallied and advanced. Liverpool set the pace and local shorts fell over one another in their anxiety to get under cover. The official weather report showed a precipitation in the entire cotton belt of only .14 of an inch at Beeville, Texas, and the Signal Service predicts continued fair weather for the next thirty-six hours, with the exception of local showers in the Mississippi valley. New Orleans bought, the Southern spot markets were more active at rising prices and bad crop reports are coming on again. The weekly weather report was bullish. It is said that in Texas the outlook for a top crop is very poor, except over the southwest and northwest portions of the cotton district, where in some sections the plant is still growing and blooming. The receipts were smaller than had been expected.

GOLD IMPORTS.

Over Two Million Dollars on the Way to New York.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—The Bank of British North America has an additional $1,000,000 on the way hither, making their total $1,500,000. W. H. Crossman & Bro. announce that they will import $1,000 000.

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LI HUNG CHANG.

A Busy Day for the Chinese Ambassador—Presentation of an Address by Missionary Boards—Reception at the Merchants Club in New York.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—Li Hung Chang passed a busy day, and apparently one profitable and pleasant to himself. The first formal event was the presentation to him of an address by the Foreign Missionary Boards expressing the appreciation of the favor which the Chinese Government has for many years shown towards the missionaries. To this Li made a formal reply, complimenting the Missionaries in terms of high praise.

The American Missionary Societies which united in presenting the address represented the following Churches: Methodist Episcopal (North and South), the Baptist (North and South), Presbyterian (North and South), Congregational, Protestant Episcopal and Reformed, all together aggregating in Church membership 747,200.

The Merchant's Club gave a reception to Li this afternoon and later on the Viceroy drove through Chinatown.

PICKPOCKETS.

A Gang Working Crowds Attending the Bryan Meetings.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CLEVELAND, O., September 1.—The pocket-picking gang still cling close to Candidate Bryan. They secured six pocket-books from persons who accompanied him on the train from Ripley, N. Y., to Cleveland, yesterday. At the Lake Shore station they reaped a rich harvest from the crowd there assembled to greet the nominee. One of them was detected in the act of extracting a purse and was mobbed by those near by. He was knocked senseless by a blow from a cane and taken to a police station.

FUSION IN INDIANA.

Democrats and Populists Unite On the Electoral Ticket.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., September 1.—The Democrats and Populists of this State yesterday agreed to unite on the electoral ticket. The committee of thirteen appointed to confer, and about twenty other representatives of the party, met with Chairman Holt, of the Democratic State Committee, and several of the Democratic nominees for State officers, and after various propositions had been made, back and forth, it was agreed that the electoral ticket shall be divided between the two parties.

FIRE AT WINSTON.

Losses Aggregate Fifty Thousand Dollars.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WINSTON, September 1.—A fire broke out in Masonic Hall, over Mith's drug store, at 2 30 this morning. Damage by fire and water to the drug stock, Justice & Barower's bookstore, Schwaller's dry goods store and O'Hanlon's drug store, all in the same block, will aggregate $50,000.

WARM WIRELETS.

A Constantinople dispatch says the city is perfectly quiet, and shops are all open and business generally being resumed.

Judge Thomas, Assistant Attorney General for the Postoffice Department, decides that it is unlawful to send an ordinary letter by express or otherwise outside of the mails unless it be enclosed in a Government stamped envelope.

An unknown steamer reported stranded on Hatteras Shoals proved to be the German steamer Romulus, from New Orleans, La. She floated after throwing a part of her cargo overboard, and proceeded on her trip apparently uninjured.

At Ionia, Mich., Frank and George Kingston, two young men who have always lived there, were arrested Monday night charged with making counterfeit money. The officers seized $7,260 in $20 United States Treasury notes, a printing press, plates and paper enough for over a million dollars.

Freeman's Sensitiveness.

One incident of Freeman's early life preserved by Mr. Stephens is thoroughly characteristic. Before he was of age he was in love, and as soon as he reached 21 he offered marriage and was accepted. Some opposition from Freeman's own kinsfolk seemed the only hindrance to a happy union. But another was created by the sensitiveness of Freeman's own conscience. "He had expectations of a sufficient income, but it was partly derived from coal mines, and the shocking disclosures recently made respecting the treatment of colliers made him doubt whether he could conscientiously draw an income from that branch of industry until the system was reformed." There we see the same temper at work which in later days made Freeman throw up a pleasant and lucrative connection with The Saturday Review because he disapproved of its foreign politics. His standard of right and wrong might sometimes be perverse, his judgments hastily formed, but seldom has any man lived to whom the call of duty, once made clear, was more absolutely imperative, in defiance of any pleas of convenience or of usage. His action was always in purpose the embodiment of George Eliot's fine lines:

Nay, falter not. 'Tis an assured good
To seek the noblest; 'tis your only good
Now you have seen it, for that higher vision
Poisons all meaner choice for evermore.

—Quarterly Review.

People Who Eat Hair.

It is difficult to imagine people eating hair, but there are many, especially girls and young women, who do so, as experience proves. Doctors conducting post mortem examinations have been surprised to find a large quantity of hair in the stomach of the deceased person.

Not long ago an English medical man found as much as four pounds of hair in the stomach of a woman about 80 years old, and similar cases have been officially reported from various parts of the world.

Dr. Swaim lately performed an operation for tumor, when, to his astonishment, the cause of complaint was a mass of hair weighing between four and five pounds.

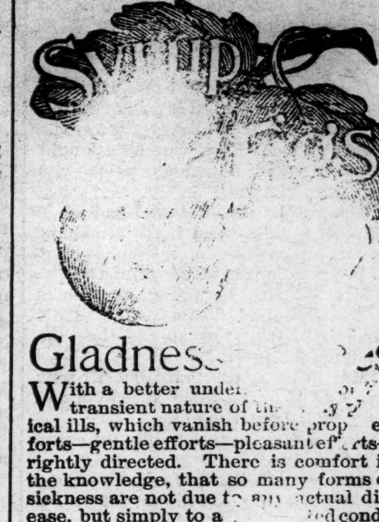
In this case the patient confessed that she had contracted a habit of biting off the ends of her hair, just as some bite their finger nails.—Pearson's Weekly.

Three Strange and Remarkable Men.

As Dumas, the grandfather, prided himself more upon his wonderful strength and skill in athletics than his generalship; as Dumas, the second, prided himself more upon his knowledge of cookery than the authorship of "The Three Musketeers," so Dumas, the third, prided himself more upon his knowledge of art than upon the writing of "La Dame aux Camelias." They were three strange and remarkable men.—Rochester Post-Express.

The first manufacturing statistics were collected by the government in 1850, when it was discovered that the capital invested was a little in excess of half a billion of dollars.

The iron pen mentioned by Job in the book of that name in the Bible is supposed to have been a steel graver used for cutting inscriptions on stone.



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Banking House and Fixtures		10,000 00
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Due from Reserve Agents	$54,777 21	
Due from other Banks	48,866 98	
Cash on hand	63,336 02	—166,980 21
Total		$712,687 96

LIABILITIES.		
Capital		$125,000 00
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Undivided profits	17,767 01	— 56,767 01
Circulation		37 120 00
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